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As part of a plan for the development of neutral site magnet schools in Providence, twenty-four individual neighborhoods are profiled in a series of charts and tables which provide demographic, economic, housing, and social service and crime data. The information provided includes ethnic composition, age breakdowns, educational level, income, employment status, fertility ratios, density of residence within housing units, distribution of land use, and selected health indices. Each series of tables and charts is introduced by a summary of key indicators and a map of the neighborhood. Sources of data are listed. (Author/EB)

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FOREWORD

This report is the second of four volumes prepared by the Providence School Department and CPAD Urban Field Center, University of Rhode Island, to meet their contractual obligations with the Office of Education, Department of Health, Education and Welfare. Funded by an ESAA grant, this report documents the planning process, findings, and support data of the Neutral Site Planning Project in Providence, Rhode Island.

The goals of the Project are:

- To plan a neutral site magnet school that is located so as to be accessible to substantial numbers of students of different racial and ethnic backgrounds;
- To plan a neutral site magnet school with a special curriculum which is a course of study embracing subject matter or a teaching methodology not generally offered to students of the same age or grade level, and in the same local educational agency, as the students to whom the special curriculum is offered.

In order to meet these goals, four principal objectives were undertaken:

Objective A: To conduct surveys and studies to determine the location of the school.

Objective B: To plan an educational program for the proposed neutral site school.

Objective C: To develop architectural plans and designs for the facilities to house the proposed neutral school sites.

Objective D: To carry out repairs and minor remodeling for the proposed neutral site school.

Volume I is the Neutral Site Plan, and details the activities in Objectives A and B. Volume II contains a series of twenty-four neighborhood profiles, and meets the remaining mandates of Objective A. Volume III is the curriculum package which responds to Objective B, and includes the design of the four proposed magnet programs. Volume IV is the facilities analysis report, and translates curriculum design into spatial utilization patterns.

The four volumes together stand as an action plan for the development of neutral site magnet programs in Providence, Rhode Island.

NEUTRAL SITE PLANNING PROJECT
PROVIDENCE, RHODE ISLAND

NEIGHBORHOOD PROFILES

Overview

CPAD Urban Field Center, RICES, University of Rhode Island, provides planning assistance to community groups and city and state agencies in Rhode Island. In The fall of 1977, the Providence School Department contracted with the Center for planning and management for collaboration on the Neutral Site Planning Project, funded by an Emergency School Aid Act (ESAA) grant from the U. S. Office of Education.

The Emergency School Aid Act (ESAA) makes funds available to local education agencies who are involved in efforts to eliminate, reduce, or prevent minority group isolation. Specifically, neutral site planning grants are used to plan for schools that are located so as to be accessible to substantial numbers of students from different racial and ethnic backgrounds. The grants also are used to develop either special curriculum or teaching methodologies not generally offered to students of the same age or grade level in the local educational agency. For the calendar year 1977-78, neutral site planning grants were awarded to four public school systems in the United States by the Office of Education.

The fundamental concept in the location of a neutral school is the assumption that a school's site is one of the significant factors in its success. Location is defined in relation to the racial identity of the neighborhood and area in which the school is placed. Research and experience have demonstrated that schools in racially identifiable communities often have difficulty in enrolling students of the other racial identities. For minority student isolation to be reduced, eliminated or prevented, a school system must identify the location of minority and non-minority students in the district, and select a school site that is accessible to both groups.

This federal grant enabled the Providence School Department and the University of Rhode Island to develop a planning process to meet ESAA's mandate. In particular, the Neutral Site Planning Staff of the University of Rhode Island had responsibility for two objectives of this planning process:

- To conduct studies and surveys to determine the location of a Neutral Site School and;

- To provide technical planning assistance to the Providence School Department in the development of special curriculum options.

The major activities undertaken in order to meet the first objectives were:

- To inventory the present school sites and assess them through a series of significant criteria;

- To identify the location of potential students of the neutral site schools;

- To determine the accessibility of the school sites to the neighborhoods in which minority and non-minority students reside and;

- To describe the characteristics of Providence neighborhoods in which minority and non-minority students reside.

The information developed to meet the first three major activities are found in The Final Report: Volume I: The Neutral Site Plan. The supporting documentation for the fourth activity is the focus of this series of neighborhood profiles.

What are Neighborhood Profiles?

Neighborhood profiles are a series of tables and charts which include statistical information on twenty-four individual neighborhoods in Providence. The information includes demographic, economic, housing, and social service and crime data. Educational demographic characteristics and transportation access for potential neutral site magnet students are presented, although discussed in greater depth in Volume I. Specific indicators from each data category were selected on the basis of an assessment of the perceived needs for educational programming by Rhode Island planners, educators, and community groups; availability of secondary data sources; and experience with data collection and analysis activities in Rhode Island. The listing of indicators is extensive, and includes such data as population by race and Spanish language; median school years completed; employment status; density of residence within housing unit; distribution of land use; selected health indices; and crime data. Each series of tables and charts is introduced by a summary of key indicators and a map of the neighborhood.

There are twenty-four neighborhoods for which profiles have been prepared. The neighborhood designations are modifications of the Providence Department of Planning and Urban Development (PUD) boundaries. Where modifications occur, it is because the Neutral Site Planning Project staff collected secondary data by census tract and defined neighborhoods accordingly. Table One lists the neighborhoods included in this series.

The neighborhood profiles were developed in order to provide the educational community with an understanding of the student's environment "outside the classroom". It is only with planning from a neighborhood or city-wide perspective that responsive programs and schools can be

TABLE ONE

PROVIDENCE NEIGHBORHOODS BY CENSUS TRACTS

NEIGHBORHOOD	CENSUS TRACTS
Blackstone	34
Charles	29
College Hill	36
Downtown	8
Elmhurst	23,24
Elmwood	2,3
Federal Hill	9,10,11
Fox Point	37
Hartford	18
Hope	33
Lower South Providence	5,6
Manton	20
Mount Hope	30,31,32
Mount Pleasant	21
Olneyville	19
Reservoir	15
Silver Lake	16,17
Smith Hill	25,26
Upper South Providence	4,7
Valley	22
Wanskuck	27,28
Washington Park	1
Wayland	35
West End	12,13,14

established. It is the underlying philosophy of this planning project that a neighborhood or city-wide perspective is essential for the development of appropriate educational programs. This report presents essential data, with a minimum of analysis.

Methodology for Development of Neighborhood Profiles

The conceptual planning model in the development of neighborhood profiles is the utilization of a comprehensive planning approach to urban systems analysis as applied to the public education system in Providence, Rhode Island. This applied research approach was previously tested by the Support Research Component of Metropolitan Planning Project in their 1974 ESAA Plan for the Voluntary Elimination of Racial and Ethnic Isolation in the Schools of the Boston Metropolitan Areas, and by the Education Commission of the States in their 1978 report, Exploring Metropolitan Ways Toward Reducing Isolation: Prospects for Progress.

It is based on the fundamental assertion of social science research that the environment in which we live is structured by the interrelationships of various community systems (i.e. housing, economy, transportation, education, recreation). Neither a community nor a school system can develop independently of the other; rather each grows and changes, partially in response to each other's needs. The critical analytic element is found in the understanding of the impact of these systems. For example, the composition of the city population, the economic structure of the community, the transportation pattern, and the land use pattern are directly related to such educational programming components as the nature of school involvement, curriculum development, attendance patterns and teacher training. The transportation network, a significant factor in locating a neutral site school, is examined in the neighborhood profiles as a community system which shapes the neighborhood. The educational demographic and facilities characteristics are treated similarly. Together, the collection of demographic, economic, housing, social service, crime, educational demographic, and transportation data provides the informational basis essential to develop an implementation plan for the reduction of racial and ethnic isolation of students in Providence.

The principal sources of data for the neighborhood profiles in Rhode Island are:

Providence Department of Planning and Urban Development
Providence Mayors Office of Community Development
Providence Mental Health Center
Rhode Island Department of Health
Rhode Island Health Research, Inc.
Rhode Island Department of Social and Rehabilitative Services
Rhode Island Division of Statewide Planning
Legislative Report of the Family Court of the State of Rhode Island
Rhode Island Department of Community Affairs
Rhode Island Historic Preservation Society
Rhode Island Department of Economic Development

The major secondary data sources were the U.S. Census of Population and of Housing. There were some limitations of census data used in the profiles, however, which ought to be addressed. First, data by race is unavailable by census tract for groups reporting less than 400 persons. In order to identify minority populations less than 4200, it is necessary to use fourth count computer tapes. This is a lengthy and intricate process. Second, census tract boundaries were altered in Providence between 1960 and 1970. This limits the degree of accuracy when comparisons and trends are reported for the ten year period. Third, demographic and socio-economic data has changed significantly since 1970, and new census figures are unavailable. Groups such as the Spanish Speaking are far higher in number than 1970 census data indicates. Fourth, census figures do not include a special break-out for Portuguese, a group which has been increasing greatly in Providence over the past ten years. Numbers of Portuguese residents are included in a category entitled "other", and one can only estimate the population. In spite of these limitations, however, the data provided in these profiles is probably the most comprehensive and recently collected for Providence at the present time.

Who Can Use the Data in Neighborhood Profiles

The information in these neighborhood profiles can be useful to groups such as the following:

School administrators

School Committee members

Professional planners

City administrators

Curriculum developers

Teachers

Human service administrators

Legislatures

Civic and community groups

Civil rights advocates

Students

University researchers

The formats developed for presentation of the data can be duplicated for use by other cities and towns in Rhode Island. A listing of data sources is provided at the conclusion of each profile and can be used if readers are interested in identifying raw data, or collecting similiar types of information.

Usefulness of Data in Neighborhood Profiles for Educational Programming

The data presented in the formats which comprise the neighborhood profiles are very comprehensive. Their usefulness, however, will vary according to the needs of the user. A listing of tables appears at the beginning of each profile and provides a "starting place" for the user. The information can be used directly as supporting documentation or criteria of measurement for groups wishing to evaluate the current state of the schools for future programming identification or for legislation. Moreover, through the employment of an increasingly useful technique, social indicator analysis, this information can be assessed by its implication for educational planning, evaluation, programming and curriculum development. Furthermore, these indicators taken together with a statement of "felt needs" can also be used for a "needs assessment" of educational problems and desires of the community. (See Diagram One on the following page.)

Some examples of the data implications as they relate to educational programming have been identified as a result of a preliminary indicator analysis constructed by the Neutral Site Planning Staff of the Urban Field Center for the Providence School Department. These examples are selected illustrations of the data's implications, for many other areas of analysis are available.

Demographic Data Series - This series is important to all participants in educational decision making: school administrators, planners, civil rights groups, and community groups. Total populations, as well as population by race and Spanish language, are important in determining enrollment projections, school building utilization, and policies concerning transportation and neighborhood school/city wide programs. The racial and language data also has significant implications for developing responsive desegregation plans, and the planning of future ESL/bilingual programs. Population by age is important not only for enrollment projections, but also for assessing the need for day care and pre-school services in a given neighborhood, a function being taken over in many areas by education institutions. The age breakdowns also provide information on numbers of older persons in a neighborhood, a resource finally being identified for volunteer functions in schools across the country. The census figures, detailed by nativity, percentage, and foreign stock, present crucial data on a neighborhood's composition, and indicate the extent of need for multicultural programs in the schools and, again, the diverse resources that exist within the neighborhood for meeting this need, as in the new Art Magnet. The education level of a neighborhood's population also appears in the demographic data series, and indicates the level of experience parents themselves have had with the educational system. It also suggests whether there is a need for adult education utilizing the role model concept for diverse vocational and academic programs.

Economic Data Series - Income data provides an indication of a school system's eligibility for federal funding and the degree of poverty in a neighborhood. Together with employment status information, it raises important issues on transportation reimbursement policies and the need for paid work experience by students. Income data also suggests the status of need for financial assistance for post-secondary education or training. Employment data provides a framework for exploring the need for career education and counseling for adult as well as student populations. It provides the basis for contemporary curriculum development in the career education/vocational skills training area and a "reality" criteria for future programming, as in the new Government and Law and Business and Management Magnets. The status of unemployment in a neighborhood indicates the degree of transition and stability, but also suggests adult availability for participation in school programs and policymaking.

Diagram One
Indicator Analysis for Neighborhood Profile for the Location of Neutral Site School and to Plan its Educational Program

DEMOGRAPHIC DATA INDICATORS

- Total population
- Population by white and non-white
- Population by race and Spanish language
- Persons 25+ by race and years of school completed
- Median school years completed
- Nativity and parentage
- Most frequent country of origin and foreign stock
- Spanish population indicators

HOUSING AND ENVIRONMENT DATA

- Selected housing characteristics
- Value of owner occupied housing by head of household
- Age of neighborhood housing as a percentage of total neighborhood housing units
- Housing units by owner and renter
- Median value or rent of occupied units
- Gross rent as a percentage of income by income levels
- Renter-occupied as a percentage of neighborhood's rented units
- Units in structure as a percentage of neighborhood's housing structures
- Density of resident within housing unit
- Automobiles available per household
- Land use of neighborhood

ECONOMIC INDICATORS

- Employed Persons 16 years old and over by occupation
- Employment status, males 14 years and over
- Employment status, females 14 years and over
- Employment status by race of males 16 years and over
- Employment status by race of females 16 years and over
- Median income
- Persons below poverty level
- Related children under 18 in families below poverty level by race
- AFDC Cases
- Families receiving public assistance
- Unrelated individuals receiving public assistance

SOCIAL [illegible]VICE DATA INDICATORS

- Net effect of resident births and deaths
- Selected health indices: Mortality
- Selected health indices: Natality
- Admission and rate/thousand to Providence Mental Health Center

CRIME DATA INDICATORS

- Family court hearings other than wayward/delinquent
- Non-judicial motor vehicle violations only
- Non-judicial other than wayward/delinquent
- Hearings - motor vehicle violations only

Housing Data Series - This series of data is closely related to the economic indicators. The value of housing in specific neighborhoods suggests the degree of neighborhood stability, and the owner/renter status reinforces the accuracy of this data. The neighborhood stability factor is particularly significant in developing policy options on neighborhood schools or city-wide school programming. Transportation and desegregation plans are also intricately intertwined with the climate in a neighborhood.

Specific housing indicators also impact in instructional approaches and curriculum. For instance, the density in residence indicator is significant in determining privacy for students, especially related to easy access for studying and hobbies. Statistics on automobiles available per household indicate the mobility potential of students, either for self-transportation to school or for outside-the-classroom experience.

Distribution of land use in individual neighborhoods is significant. Various characteristics provide a comprehensive objective view of the neighborhoods, and indirectly indicate students' concepts of neighborhood or community. Land use data also includes the categories of resources that are available for use by schools in their surrounding neighborhood for such activities as field trips, external work sites, and collaboration with cultural institutions. It summarizes the sense of environmental quality and the need for other experiences and can be useful for all the new Magnet/Neutral Site curricula, but particularly the Arts: Creative and Performing Art/Communication and Design Magnet Program.

Social Services Data Series - This series presents data on birth and deaths in specific neighborhoods. Together with demographic and housing information, it provides an indication of neighborhood stability. Health data, when analyzed, points out the types of disease most common to each area of the city. The disparity among neighborhoods may be particularly significant to community groups in terms of usefulness to the educational system. There may exist a need for health screening, public information, or health services that might be offered through local schools. Health data is particularly helpful to curriculum developers and teachers involved with the new Health Magnet. Admissions to the Providence Mental Health Center by neighborhood may point out the need for preventative approaches at a school level such as increased counseling or better coordination among schools and other community agencies.

Crime Data Series - This series is important in assessing the need for special programs in the school. The extent of students in trouble with the law is significant in establishing support services within the existing school structure. Moreover, the information is useful for the development of the Government and Law Magnet Program.

A summary of this preliminary indicator analysis for educational programming appears in the two following tables:

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TABLE TWO

PRELIMINARY INDICATOR ANALYSIS: DATA SERIES CATEGORIES BY PROGRAM IMPLICATION

DEMOGRAPHIC	ECONOMIC	HOUSING	LAND USE	SOCIAL SERVICE	CRIME
Enrollment Projections	Need for paid student employment	Neighborhood stability	Resources available for students and schools	Neighborhood Stability	Counselling Needs
School Facility Construction	Need for student information on financial assistance	Attitudes towards neighborhood school	Students' Neighborhood Concept	Enrollment Projection	Government and Law curriculum development
Desegregation policies	Federal program funding	Space for studying, hobbies	Sense of environmental quality	Curriculum focus for Health Magnet	
Transportation policies	Transportation reimbursement policy	Access to schools and programs	Curriculum focus for Arts Magnet	Preventative Programs	
Bi-Lingual Education	Neighborhood stability			Counselling Needs	
Community Service and Education	Career education and vocational studies				
Multi-Cultural Education					
Adult Education					

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TABLE THREE

PRELIMINARY INDICATOR ANALYSIS:
SELECTED INDICATOR BY SIGNIFICANCE FOR EDUCATIONAL PROGRAMMING

SELECTED INDICATOR	SOME AREAS OF SIGNIFICANCE FOR EDUCATIONAL PROGRAMMING
Demographic Data Series	
Total Population	School facility construction and school spatial utilization Enrollment projections
Population by white and non-white	Desegregation implications Multi-racial program needs
Population by race and Spanish language	Racial isolation implications Planning of bi-lingual/ESL programs
Fertility Ratio	Enrollment projections
Population by age by race	Enrollment projections Utilization of schools after hours Racial isolation implications Need for day care facilities Availability of senior citizens to serve as volunteers in the schools
Median School Years Completed	Role model for students Degree of parental understanding of what students gain in schools Aspirations and information of need about higher education May indicate need for adult education
Persons over 25 years of age and school years compleged	Adult education or programming for role model concepts
Census by nativity and parentage	Understanding cultural expectations and norms of students from varied backgrounds Multi-cultural program needs Language problems

Countries of Foreign stock origin	Need for special language program; ethnic history courses Likely community and culture resources related to multi-cultural education
Employment status- unemployed and Employed by occupation (Males and Females)	Need of students for paid work experience Role of school in re-training or employment of adults Need of students for financial assistance for post-secondary education Availability of community residents to participate in school programming Need for information about resources in community Criteria for "reality test" for career education and vocation skills training curriculum development
Economic Data Series	
AFDC Status	School meal programs Federal school program funding eligibility Need of students for paid work experience Need of students for financial assistance for post-secondary education Availability of community residents to participate in school programming Need for information about resources in community Business and Management Magnet: programming educational and occupational aspirations
Persons below poverty level # related children below poverty level # people (families) on public assistance	Economic need of students for financial assistance, paid employment Assists in identifying students for transportation reimbursement
Median Income	Economic need of students and job opportunities Federal program funding Transportation reimbursement policies

Housing Data Series	
Housing Units- Owner/Renter	Assist in counselling programs, support services
Units in Structure as % of Housing Structures	Neighborhood stability/neighborhood school commitments
Renter Occupied as % of Rented Units	Stability of a neighborhood Attitudes toward racial isolation
Median value or rent of occupied units	Economic level/financial needs of students
Age of neighborhood units	Economic level
Density of residence within housing units	Physical space available to students for studying, hobbies, privacy.
Distribution of land use	Student's environment and concept of neighborhood or city Resources available as support to students families inside classroom Resources available for use by schools in neighborhood for field trips, off-school sites, cultural use, work internships, post school employment Sense of environmental quality;focus on Arts Magnet program
Number of automobiles per household	Mobility potential of students Availability of private transportation for non-neighborhood schools or extra-curricular activities
Social Service Data Series	
Net effects of births and deaths	Enrollment projections Neighborhood stability
Selected Health Indices Mortality Natality	Areas of focus for Health Magnet and health education program (Prevention)
Admission to Providence Mental Health Center	Need for mental health services or addition guidance/counselling services in the school

Crime Data Series Family Court Hearings Motor Vehicle Violations Non-guidance Motor Vehicle Violations Non-judicial other than wayward	Delinquency prevention programs in the schools Programming for students with special needs Support services for students in trouble with the law Curriculum development for Government and Law Magnet

Conclusion

The Neighborhood Profiles, developed as part of the Neutral Site Planning Project, present a wide range of data which are useful for several reasons. First, the profiles establish criteria for measuring the accessibility of school sites to racial and ethnic minority students, and provide a sense of the climate for neighborhood adoption of neutral site or other city-wide magnet programs. Second, the profiles are helpful in determining curriculum and support services for the magnet programs as they emerge into viable and innovative programs over the next few years. Specifically, the profiles assist curriculum developers in validating their sense of student need for career oriented and competency-based programs. Information in the profiles is also helpful to architectural and educational planners in determining support services for the students in the school system. Third, the profiles, as a comprehensive information system, can be used by decision-makers at different phases of the educational process in order to improve policy and program development activities at the school site and central administration levels in Providence.

While the goal of this effort has been to develop data for the planning of neutral site magnet programs which reduce or eliminate minority student isolation, the data can also be valuable to those outside the educational system. It is presented in a straightforward manner, with great potential for future studies and analysis.

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WASHINGTON PARK

CENSUS TRACT 1

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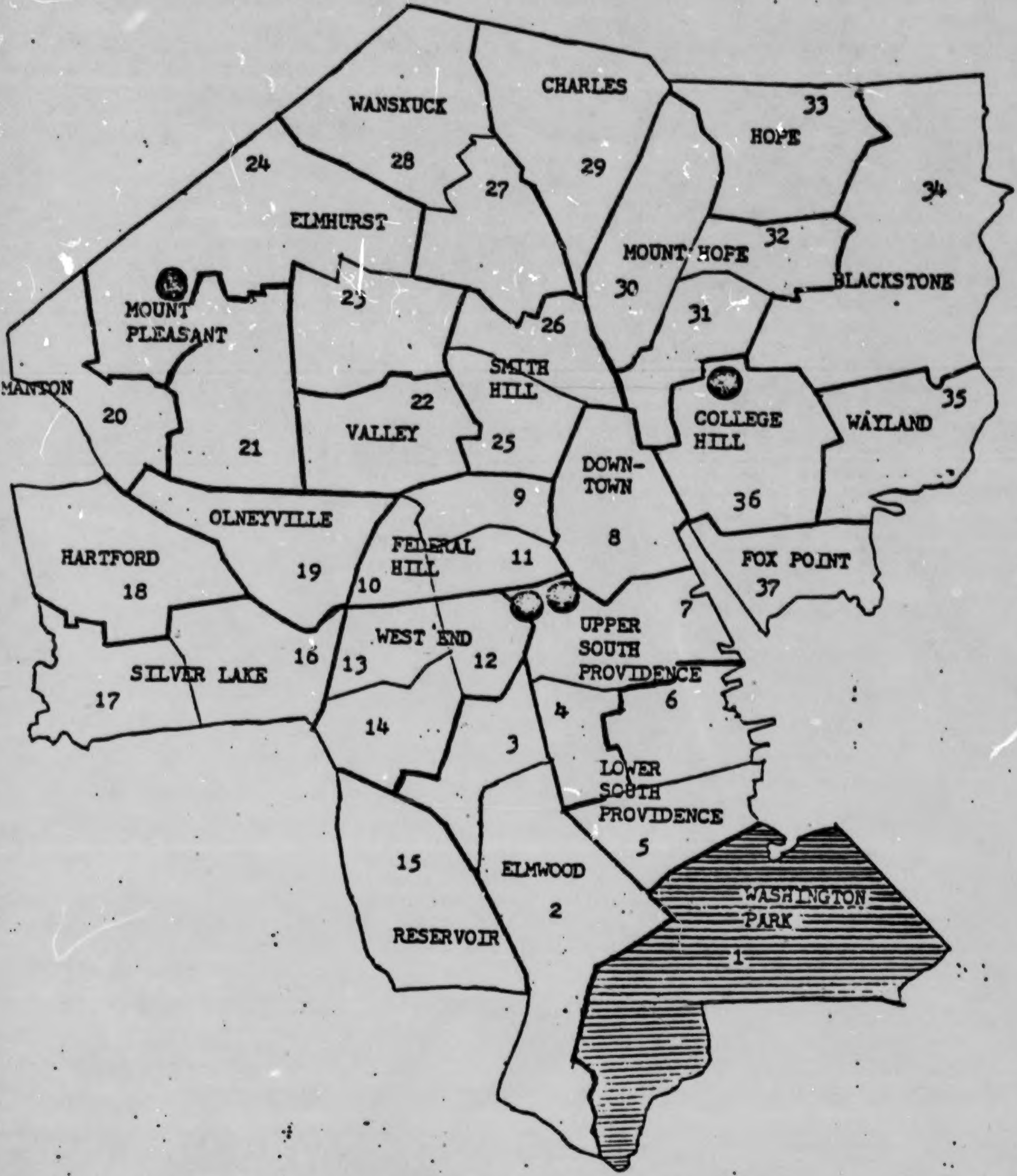
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WASHINGTON PARK

Providence High Schools ●

WASHINGTON PARK

The Washington Park neighborhood, composed of census tract 1, is located in the southeastern portion of the City of Providence. This neighborhood is bordered on the east by Providence Harbor, on the west by Roger Williams Park, on the north by the old Penn Central Railroad tracks, and on the south by the city of Cranston. Broad Street is the major commercial thoroughfare.

At the time of Roger Williams' purchase of Providence Plantations in 1635, the land now occupied by Washington Park was inhabited by the Narragansett Indians. The principal Indian settlement was at a spot on Providence Harbor, today known as Field's Point. As might be expected, this area has changed greatly through the years and today it contains heavy industrial, oil and gas storage facilites and warehouses widely spaced on large tracts of barren fill-land. Less than 20% of the land in Washington Park is used for residential purposes, with Roger Williams Park playing a key role in meeting the recreational and cultural needs of the entire city.

In 1970, the population of Washington Park was 7466 with a racial and ethnic composition of 96% White, 2.6% Black and 1.4% Spanish speaking. Between the years 1960-1970, there was a net decrease of 160 whites (2.2%) coupled with an increase of 132 (88%) non-whites.

In 1970 the total foreign stock population for Washington Park numbered 2399. The four predominant countries of origin were Ireland (18.5%), United Kingdom (15.0%), Canada (11.6%), and Italy (11.8%). English is the predominantly spoken language.

Between the years 1960 and 1970 the median income for all families rose from $5,597.00 to $8,740.00, an increase of 156.2%. In 1970, the median income for all unrelated individuals was $2,677.00. In 1960, 1980 (97.8%) of the Washington Park male population fourteen years and older was employed in the civilian labor force as opposed to 1208 (96.4%) of the female population. By 1970 the percentage of males sixteen years and older had risen to 1827 (98.6%) and 1449 (95.6%) for the female population. The unemployment rates for 1960 and 1970 were 2.7% and 2.8% respectively.

With an unemployment rate of 2.7% in 1970, 35 (1.75%) of the neighborhood's families were receiving public assistance as were 224 (35.5%) of all unrelated individuals. Between the years 1972 and 1977, the number of AFDC recipients changed from 179 to 284 which corresponds to 3.3% and 4.8% of the number of cases for the City of Providence.

The general housing indicators for Washington Park have shown variation between 1960 and 1970. The number of owner occupied units was 1127 in 1960 and 970 in 1970. During this same timespan, the number of renter occupied units changed from 2117 to 2065 with a vacancy rate decrease from 13.1% to 7.2%. In 1970, the median value of occupied units was $11,666.00 and the median rent was $98.00. In 1975, the number of units in need of substantial rehabilitation totalled 1780 (68.5%). Between 1960 and 1970, the total number of rented units changed from 1215 to 1256 with a change in rents from $76.00 to $98.00. In 1970 the breakdown of the age of housing as a percentage of the number of housing units appeared as follows: 0% built between 1969 and 1970; .9% 1965 to 1968; 1.2% 1960 to 1964; 3.1% 1950 to 1959; 7.7% 1940 to 1949; and 87.1% constructed prior to 1939. Also in 1970 there were 1234 households with one automobile, 482 with two and 55 with three or more. Four hundred and seventy-nine households were listed as having none at all. The median years of education completed in 1970 by persons twenty-five years and older was 11.6 for the total population.

Currently there are 302 eighth through eleventh graders in Washington Park which is a part of the Central High School feeder pattern. Of these 302 students, there are 193 (63.9%) Whites, 49 (16.2%) Blacks and 60 (19.9%) Portuguese and other. With an enrollment of 302,Washington Park ranks 5th in total high school student enrollment. At the present imte, there are 2 bus routes directly to Central/Classical, and none to Hope or Mount Pleasant.

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A.1 - 1960, 1975: TOTAL POPULATION BY 5 YEAR INTERVALS				
	YEAR			
POPULATION	1960	1965	1970	1975
NUMBER	7,494	7,383	7,466	7,465
% OF TOTAL POPULATION OF PROVIDENCE	3.7	4.1	4.2	4.4

A.2 - 1960, 1970: POPULATION BY WHITE AND NON-WHITE		
	YEAR	
POPULATION	1960	1970
WHITE	7,344	7,287
NON-WHITE	150	179

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A.3 - 1960, 1970 CENSUS; POPULATION BY RACE AND SPANISH LANGUAGE

YEAR	TOTAL POPULATION	WHITE		NON-WHITE		BLACK		SPANISH LANGUAGE	
		#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%
1960	7494	7417	99.0	77	1.0	24	0.3	N/A	N/A
1970	7466	7184	96.2	282	3.8	180	2.4	26	0.3
1960-1970 Increase (+) Decrease (-)		-233	-3.1	+205	+266.2	+156	+650.0	N/A	N/A
% Change in Proportional Distribution		-2.8		+2.8		+2.1		N/A	

A.4 - 1970 CENSUS: FERTILITY RATIO BY POPULATION

Total Population	

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A.5 - 1970 CENSUS: PERSONS 25 YEARS OF AGE AND OVER BY RACE AND YEARS OF SCHOOL COMPLETED

LEVEL AND YEARS OF SCHOOL COMPLETED	TOTAL POPULATION		WHITE		BLACK		OTHER	
	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%
NO SCHOOL YEAR COMPLETED	53	1.2	42	1.0	-	-	11	15.3
ELEMENTARY: 1-4 YEARS	66	1.5	60	1.4	-	-	6	8.3
5-7 YEARS	368	8.4	368	8.6	-	-	-	-
8 YEARS	620	14.1	601	14.1	13	22.0	6	8.3
HIGH SCHOOL: 1-3 YEARS	1258	28.7	1215	28.5	23	39.0	20	27.8
4 YEARS	1498	34.1	1466	34.4	23	39.0	9	12.5
COLLEGE: 1-3 YEARS	315	7.2	310	7.3	-	-	5	6.9
4 YEARS OR MORE	212	4.8	197	4.6	-	-	15	20.8
TOTAL	4390	100.0	4259	99.9	59	100.0	72	100.0

A.6 - 1970 CENSUS: MEDIAN SCHOOL YEARS COMPLETED

TOTAL POPULATION
11.6

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A.7 - 1970 CENSUS: NATIVITY AND PARENTAGE

NATIVITY	TOTAL POPULATION	
	#	%
NATIVE OF NATIVE PARENT	5076	68.0
FOREIGN STOCK	2390	32.0
TOTAL	7466	100.0

A.8 - 1970 CENSUS: MOST FREQUENT COUNTRY OF ORIGIN OF FOREIGN STOCK

COUNTRY OF ORIGIN	# OF PERSONS	% FOREIGN STOCK POPULATION
IRELAND	444	18.6
UNITED KINGDOM	368	15.4
ITALY	284	11.9
CANADA	279	11.7

A.9 - 1970 CENSUS: SPANISH POPULATION INDICATORS

INDICATORS	# OF PERSONS	% OF TOTAL POPULATION
SPANISH LANGUAGE	26	0.3

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B.1 - 1960,1970 CENSUS: NUMBER OF EMPLOYED PERSONS 16 YEARS OLD AND OVER BY OCCUPATION

	1960		1970							
OCCUPATION	TOTAL PERSONS EMPLOYED		TOTAL PERSONS EMPLOYED		WHITE		BLACK		SPANISH	
	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%
PROFESSIONAL, TECHNICAL AND KINDRED WORKERS	278	9.6	335	10.0	321	10.2	3	4.1	-	-
MANAGERS AND ADMINISTRATORS EXCEPT FARM	210	7.2	201	6.0	197	6.3	4	5.5	-	-
SALES WORKERS	306	10.5	254	7.6	254	8.1	-	-	-	-
CLERICAL AND KINDRED WORKERS	618	21.3	717	21.5	695	22.1	11	15.1	-	-
CRAFTSMEN, FOREMEN AND KINDRED WORKERS	466	16.1	451	13.5	432	13.7	4	5.5	-	-
OPERATIVES, EXCEPT TRANSPORT	596	20.6	637	19.1	568	18.1	18	24.7	-	-
TRANSPORT EQUIPMENT OPERATIVES	13	0.5	117	3.5	112	3.6	-	-	-	-
LABORERS, EXCEPT FARM	82	2.8	83	2.5	77	2.4	-	-	-	-
FARMERS AND FARM MANAGERS	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
FARM LABORERS AND FOREMEN										
SERVICE WORKERS, EXCEPT PRIVATE HOUSEHOLD	292	10.1	519	15.6	479	15.2	24	32.9	-	-
PRIVATE HOUSEHOLD WORKERS	36	1.2	20	0.6	11	0.3	9	12.3	-	-
TOTAL	2897	100.0	3334	100.0	3146	100.0	73	100.0	-	-

*1960 data listed for persons 14 years old and over.

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B.2 - 1960 CENSUS: EMPLOYMENT STATUS, MALES 14 YEARS AND OVER (CIVILIAN LABOR FORCE)

STATUS	TOTAL	
	#	%
EMPLOYED	1976	97.8
UNEMPLOYED	44	2.2

B.3 - 1960 CENSUS: EMPLOYMENT STATUS, FEMALES 14 YEARS AND OVER (CIVILIAN LABOR FORCE)

STATUS	TOTAL	
	#	%
EMPLOYED	1208	96.4
UNEMPLOYED	45	3.6

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B.4 - 1970 CENSUS: EMPLOYMENT STATUS BY RACE OF MALES 16 YEARS AND OVER (CIVILIAN LABOR FORCE)

STATUS	POPULATION		WHITE		BLACK	
	#	%	#	%	#	%
EMPLOYED	1824	98.6	1763	98.5	29	100.0
UNEMPLOYED	26	1.4	26	1.5	0	0.0
TOTAL	1850	100.0	1789	100.0	29	100.0

B.5 - 1970 CENSUS: EMPLOYMENT STATUS BY RACE OF FEMALES 16 YEARS AND OVER (CIVILIAN LABOR FORCE)

STATUS	POPULATION		WHITE		BLACK	
	#	%	#	%	#	%
EMPLOYED	1449	95.6	1383	95.6	44	91.7
UNEMPLOYED	67	4.4	63	4.4	4	8.3
TOTAL	1516	100.0	1446	100.0	48	100.0

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B.6 - 1960,1970 CENSUS: MEDIAN INCOME

6.1 1960 MEDIAN INCOME[1]

YEAR	ALL FAMILIES AND UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS
1960	$5038

6.2 1970 MEDIAN INCOME

YEAR	ALL FAMILIES	ALL UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS
1970	$8740	$4400

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1) 1960 Median Income Data is not disaggregated by families and unrelated individuals.

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B.7 - 1970 CENSUS: PERSONS BELOW POVERTY LEVEL

TOTAL POPULATION		
# PERSONS	% OF NEIGHBORHOOD POPULATION	% OF TOTAL POPULATION OF PROVIDENCE BELOW POVERTY LEVEL
747	10.0	2.3

B.8 - 1970 CENSUS: NUMBER OF RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 IN FAMILIES BELOW POVERTY LEVEL BY RACE

TOTAL POPULATION			WHITE		BLACK		OTHER	
# PERSONS	% OF NEIGHBORHOOD POPULATION BELOW 18 YEARS	% OF RELATED CHILDREN IN PROVIDENCE UNDER 18 YEARS, BELOW POVERTY LEVEL	#	%	#	%	#	%
747	9.8	2.0	205	92.3	16	7.7	-	-

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B.9 - 1972-1977: DECEMBER AFDC CASES

YEAR	NUMBER OF CASES	% OF CASES IN PROVIDENCE
1972	179	3.3
1973	224	4.1
1974	261	4.7
1975	282	4.9
1976	268	4.6
1977	284	4.8

B.10 - 1970 CENSUS: FAMILIES RECEIVING PUBLIC ASSISTANCE

# FAMILIES RECEIVING PUBLIC ASSISTANCE	% OF ALL FAMILIES IN NEIGHBORHOOD	% OF FAMILIES IN PROVIDENCE RECEIVING PUBLIC ASSISTANCE
35	1.7	1.7

B.11 - 1970 CENSUS: UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS RECEIVING PUBLIC ASSISTANCE

# PERSONS	% OF UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS IN NEIGHBORHOOD	% OF TOTAL UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS RECEIVING PUBLIC ASSISTANCE IN PROVIDENCE
224	35.5	1.2

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C.1 - 1975 SELECTED HOUSING CHARACTERISTICS

Characteristics	Number
Total Housing Units	2597
Vacancy Rate	2.3%
Number of Units in Need of Substantial Rehabilitation (%)	1780 (68.5)

* The need for "substantial rehabilitation" was determined by the Department of Planning and Urban Development based on a survey which considered structural factors including: Foundation, Exterior Shell, Porches and Stairs, Gutters and Down Spouts, Doors and Window, Roof and Chimney.

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C.2 - 1970 CENSUS: UNITS IN STRUCTURE AS A PERCENTAGE OF NEIGHBORHOOD'S HOUSING STRUCTURES

	1970	
NUMBER OF UNITS IN STRUCTURE	#	%
1 (INCLUDES MOBILE HOME/ TRAILER)	999	37.5
2	686	25.8
3 AND 4	820	30.8
5 TO 49	157	5.9
50 AND OVER	0	.0
TOTAL YEAR-ROUND HOUSING UNITS	2,662	100.0

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C.3 - 1970 CENSUS: AGE OF NEIGHBORHOOD HOUSING AS A PERCENTAGE OF TOTAL NEIGHBORHOOD HOUSING UNITS

AGE OF HOUSING	#	%
1969 TO MARCH 1970	-	-
1965 TO 1968	23	0.9
1960 TO 1964	31	1.2
1950 TO 1959	84	3.1
1940 TO 1949	206	7.7
1939 AND EARLIER	2,318	87.1
TOTAL	2,662	100.0

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C.4 - 1960, 1970 CENSUS: HOUSING UNITS BY OWNER AND RENTER			
	1960	1970	Net Change 1960-1970
Total Housing Units	2634	2666	+ 32
Owner Occupied	1315	1302	- 13
Renter Occupied	1215	1256	+ 41
Vacancy Rate	4.0%	4.1%	+ 2.5%

C.5 - 1970 CENSUS: MEDIAN VALUE OR RENT OF OCCUPIED UNITS	
STATUS	1970
Median Value	$13,000
Median Rent	$72

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C.6 - 1960, 1970 CENSUS: RENTER OCCUPIED AS A PERCENTAGE OF NEIGHBORHOOD'S RENTED UNITS

	1960		1970	
	#	%	#	%
Total - Rented Units	1215	100.0	1256	100.0
Less Than $40	12	1.0	5	0.4
$40 to $59	152	12.5	36	2.9
$60 to $79	520	42.8	257	20.5
$80 to $99	395	32.5	346	27.5
$100 to $149	104	8.6	557	44.3
$150 and Over	32	2.6	34	2.7
No Cash Rents	-	-	21	1.7
Median Rent	$76	-	$98	100.0

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C. 7 - 1970 CENSUS: VALUE OF OWNER OCCUPIED HOUSING BY HEAD OF HOUSEHOLD

	TOTAL OWNER OCCUPIED UNITS	
SINGLE FAMILY HOUSING	#	%
Less than $5,000	0	.0
$5,000 - $7,499	15	1.7
$7,500 - $9,999	99	11.3
$10,000 - $14,999	506	57.6
$15,000 - $19,999	181	20.6
$20,000 - $24,999	39	4.4
$25,000 - $34,999	25	2.8
$35,000 - $49,999	7	.8
$50,000 and over	6	.7
TOTAL	878	100.0

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C.8 - 1960, 1970 CENSUS: DENSITY OF RESIDENCE WITHIN HOUSING UNIT

DENSITY	1960		1970	
	#	%	#	%
TOTAL NUMBER OF OCCUPIED UNITS	2530	100.0	2558	100.0
ROOMS WITH 1.00 PERSONS OR LESS	2452	96.9	2460	96.2
ROOMS WITH 1.01 PERSONS OR MORE	78	3.1	98	3.8
MEDIAN PERSONS PER OCCUPIED UNIT	2.6	-	2.4	-

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C. 9 - 1970 CENSUS:	NUMBER OF AUTOMOBILES AVAILABLE BY HOUSEHOLD
Automobiles	#Households
One	1502
Two	485
Three or More	67
None	504

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C.10 1975 DISTRIBUTION OF LAND USE BY NEIGHBORHOOD		
LAND USE CATEGORY	LAND AREA IN SQ. FT.	% OF TOTAL AREA
Undeveloped Land and Water Areas	1,142,674	2.9
Residential Uses (Total)	6,941,323	18.2
One Family	3,665,605	9.6
Two Family	1,469,[illegible]27	3.8
Three Family	990,637	2.6
Multi-Family	213,164	.6
Other	601,990	1.6
Manufacturing	2,591,157	6.7
Transportation, Communication and Utilities	7,492,214	19.6
Trade (Total)	3,213,807	8.4
Wholesale	2,818,724	7.3
Retail	395,083	1.0
General Services	2,846,014	7.4
Institutional and Governmental Services (Total)	560,093	1.5
Education (Nursery, Primary and Secondary)	43,965	.1
Educational Services (other)	131,410	.3
Religious Services	15,419	.04
Medical and Health Services	3,600	.009
Government	284,465	.7
Other (Service Organizations, Cemeteries, etc.)	81,234	.2
Cultural, Entertainment, and Recreation Services	13,377,077	35.0
Resource Production and Extraction	--	--
Totals	38,164,359	100%

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D. 1 - 1966-1974: NET EFFECT OF RESIDENT BIRTHS AND DEATHS

YEAR	BIRTHS	% OF CITY BIRTHS	DEATHS	% OF CITY DEATHS	NET EFFECT
1966	94	2.9	63	2.4	+31
1967	92	2.9	82	3.1	+10
1968	97	3.1	69	2.6	+28
1969	83	2.7	64	2.6	+19
1970	79	2.5	59	2.4	+20
1971	95	3.3	80	3.4	+15
1972	76	3.0	85	3.7	-9
1973	78	3.3	57	2.4	+21
1974	58	2.7	63	3.0	-5
TOTALS	752	-	622	-	+130
5 YR. AVERAGE 1970-74	77.2	3.0	68.8	3.0	+8.4

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D.2 - 1970-1974: SELECTED HEALTH INDICES: MORTALITY

	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	5 YEAR AVERAGE
eaths by Cause						
Malignant Neoplasms	26	24	18	22	18	21.6
Lung	8	5	3	3	4	5.0
Breast	-	-	4	1	3	1.6
Cervix	1	1	-	-	-	0.4
Colon & Rectum	4	7	1	4	1	3.4
Diabetes Mellitus	5	4	4	4	1	3.6
Cadiovascular Disease	53	56	45	66	48	53.6
Heart Disease (All Forms)	43	37	30	56	39	41.0
Myocardial Infarction	24	17	17	25	21	20.8
Chronic Ischemic Heart Dis.	17	14	8	26	12	15.4
Cerebrovascular Disease	8	13	8	6	5	8.0
Respiratory Disease	8	7	4	5	5	5.8
Pneumonia/Influenza	4	6	2	4	2	3.6
Emphysema	1	-	-	1	-	0.4
Gastrointestinal Disease	3	8	1	2	8	4.4
Cirrhosis of the Liver	2	3	-	1	4	2.0
External Causes	3	2	1	6	5	3.4
Motor Vehicle Accidents	2	1	-	-	-	0.6

otal Deaths	107	110	77	112	92	99.6
Mean Age at Death	67.9	71.0	68.9	59.9	64.5	68.6
Infant Deaths	4	1	2	3	3	2.6
Number Age 65 and Over	72	82	54	81	59	69.6

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D.3 - 1970-1974: SELECTED HEATH INDICES: NATALITY

Indices	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	5 YEAR AVERAGE
Live Births	143	127	111	104	113	119.6
Newborns Weighing Below 2500 grams (5½ lbs)	10	8	10	5	10	8.6
Births to Mother Under Age 20	18	16	16	20	26	19.2
Births to Mothers 35+	7	9	10	7	7	8.0
Births of Parity Greater Than 3	35	22	21	16	13	21.4

D.4 - 1977: ADMISSIONS AND RATE/THOUSAND TO PROVIDENCE MENTAL HEALTH CENTER

ADMISSIONS	RATE/THOUSAND	% OF NEIGHBORHOOD POPULATION
69	9.3	0.9

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E.1 - 1972,1973: FAMILY COURT HEARINGS OTHER THAN WAYWARD/DELINQUENT (MOTOR VEHICLE VIOLATIONS EXCLUDED), MALE AND FEMALE CHILDREN

	1973		1972	
MALE CHILDREN	# CASES	% CITY CASES	# CASES	% CITY CASES
NEW	14	5.8	5	1.8
REPEATERS	15	4.7	6	2.2
VIOLATORS OF PROBATION	12	4.3	19	5.5

	1973		1972	
FEMALE CHILDREN	# CASES	% CITY CASES	# CASES	% CITY CASES
NEW	0	N/A	3	3.2
REPEATERS	4	8.5	2	2.4
VIOLATORS OF PROBATION	1	2.8	3	12.5

	1973		1972	
TOTAL CHILDREN	# CASES	% CITY CASES	# CASES	% CITY CASES
NEW	14	4.4	8	2.1
REPEATERS	19	5.2	8	2.5
VIOLATORS OF PROBATION	13	4.2	22	6.0

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E.2 - 1972,1973: NON-JUDICIAL MOTOR VEHICLE VIOLATIONS ONLY

	1973		1972	
MALE CHILDREN	# CASES	% CITY CASES	# CASES	% CITY CASES
NEW	-	-	3	3.7
REPEATERS	-	-	-	-
VIOLATORS OF PROBATION	-	-	-	-

	1973		1972	
FEMALE CHILDREN	# CASES	% CITY CASES	# CASES	% CITY CASES
NEW	-	-	-	-
REPEATERS	-	-	-	-
VIOLATORS OF PROBATION	-	-	-	-

	1973		1972	
TOTAL CHILDREN	# CASES	% CITY CASES	# CASES	% CITY CASES
NEW	-	-	3	3.3
REPEATERS	-	-	-	-
VIOLATORS OF PROBATION	-	-	-	-

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E.3 - 1972,1973: NON-JUDICIAL - OTHER THAN WAYWARD/DELINQUENT
(MOTOR VEHICLE VIOLATIONS EXCLUDED)

	1973		1972	
MALE CHILDREN	# CASES	% CITY CASES	# CASES	% CITY CASES
NEW	4	10.8	4	18.1
REPEATERS	-	-	-	-
VIOLATORS OF PROBATION	-	-	-	-

	1973		1972	
FEMALE CHILDREN	# CASES	% CITY CASES	# CASES	% CITY CASES
NEW	4	18.1	-	-
REPEATERS	-	-	-	-
VIOLATORS OF PROBATION	-	-	-	-

	1973		1972	
TOTAL CHILDREN	# CASES	% CITY CASES	# CASES	% CITY CASES
NEW	8	13.5	4	12.1
REPEATERS	-	-	-	-
VIOLATORS OF PROBATION	-	-	-	-

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E.4 - 1972, 1973: HEARINGS - MOTOR VEHICLE VIOLATIONS ONLY

MALE CHILDREN	1973 # CASES	1973 % CITY CASES	1972 # CASES	1972 % CITY CASES
NEW	4	6.1	1	1.4
REPEATERS	5	8.5	4	7.8
VIOLATORS OF PROBATION	3	8.5	3	8.5

FEMALE CHILDREN	1973 # CASES	1973 % CITY CASES	1972 # CASES	1972 % CITY CASES
NEW	1	1.4	1	7.6
REPEATERS	-	-	-	-
VIOLATORS OF PROBATION	-	-	-	-

TOTAL CHILDREN	1973 # CASES	1973 % CITY CASES	1972 # CASES	1972 % CITY CASES
NEW	5	6.9	2	2.4
REPEATERS	5	8.0	4	7.5
VIOLATORS OF PROBATION	3	8.5	3	7.7

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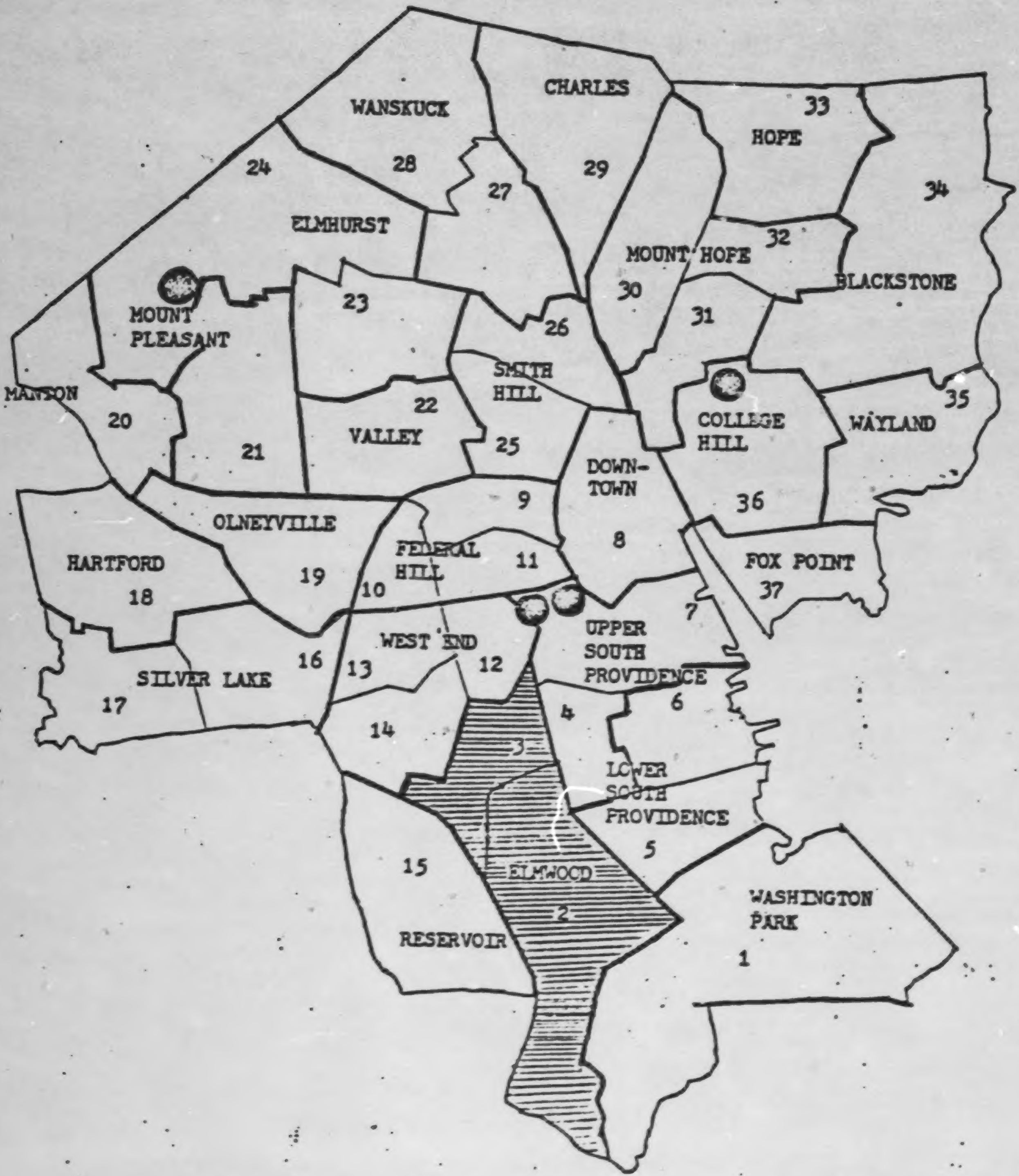
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The Elmwood neighborhood composed of census tracts 2 and 3, is located in the southern portion of the City of Providence. It is bounded on the north by the West End neighborhood, on the south by Cranston, on the east by Broad Street, and on the west by Huntington Avenue and Route 95.

Elmwood was known by its Indian name of Mashapaug until approximately 1850. In earlier years the old Indian trails had been improved into roads when isolated farms sprang-up. Little interest really occured in regards to development, however, until the mid-19th century when the farming enterprises were supplemented by a scattering of suburban estates. Wealthy citizens were attracted primarily by the large tracts of rolling wooded land.

The population boom of the late 1800's brought well-planned development to Elmwood. Joseph Cooke, a large land owner, took great interest in the orderly development of the area, and working with other major landowners established a regular street grid over a large portion of the neighborhood. By the turn of the century the pace of building had accelerated, with construction largely complete by the late 1920's.

The greatest changes in recent years are a result primarily of urban renewal, and the increased commercialization of Elmwood Avenue. Today, this neighborhood is one of transition. Reconstruction is underway, with organized effort to halt the outflow of population. The area is taking on an increased ethnic character of mixed economic levels.

In 1970, the population of Elmwood was 14,456 with a racial and ethnic composition of 98.1% White, 6.8% Black, and 1.9% Spanish speaking. Between the years 1960-1970, there was a net decrease of 2060 whites (13.4%) coupled with a substantial increase of 867 non-whites.
In 1970 the total foreign stock population for Elmwood, numbered 4700. The four most frequent countries of origin were Canada (15.9%), Ireland (13.2%), Italy (13.1%), and USSR (9.9%)*. English is the predominantly spoken language.

Between the years 1960 and 1970 the median income for all families rose from $5,196 to $7,909, an increase of 52.2%. In 1970, the median income for all unrelated individuals was $2,751.00. In 1960, 3833 (94.8%) of Elmwood's male population fourteen years and older was employed in the civilian labor force as opposed to 2617 (95.7%) of the female population. The unemployment rates for 1960 and 1970 were 4.76% and 3.7% respectively.

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* The figures compiled by the U.S. Bureau of the Census in 1970 do not reflect the large influx of Indochinese into the Elmwood area which has occured since 1975. The International Institute of Providence estimates that currently there are approximately 900 residents of Elmwood of Indochinese stock. This group is composed primarily of Cambodians, Laotians, and Vietnamese. This total corresponds to 19.1% of the 1970 foreign stock population of Elmwood.

With an unemployment rate of 3.7% in Elmwood, 197 (5.6%) of the neighborhood's families were receiving public assistance as were 969 (5.2%) of all unrelated individuals in 1970. Between the years 1972 and 1977, the number of AFDC recipients changed from 649 to 902 which corresponds to 12.0% and 15.2% of the number of cases for the City of Providence.

The general housing indicators for Elmwood have shown variation between 1960 and 1970. The number of owner occupied units was 1729 in 1960 and 1505 in 1970. During this same timespan, the number of renter occupied units changed from 4153 to 4285 with a vacancy rate increase from 6.0% to 7.7%. In 1970, the median value of occupied units was $12,00 and the median rent was $94.00. In 1975, the number of units in need of substantial rehabilitation in Elmwood totalled 3509 (66.8%). Between 1960 and 1970, the total number of rented units increased from 4148 to 4285 with a change in rents from $76.00 to $94.00. In 1970 the breakdown of the age of housing as a percentage of the number of housing units appeared as follows: .07% built between 1969 and 1970; 1.14% 1965 to 1968; 2.1% 1960 to 1964; 6.9% 1950 to 1959; 6.7% 1940 to 1949; and 82.8% constructed prior to 1939. Also in 1970 there were 510 households with one automobile, 281 with two and 7 with three or more. Three-hundred ninety-one households were listed as having none at all. The median years of education completed in 1970 by persons twenty-five years and older was 10.8 for the total population.

Currently there are 582 eighth through eleventh graders in Elmwood which is a part of the Central High School feeder pattern. Of these 582 students, there are 224 (40.4%) Whites, 192 (36.5%) Blacks and 166 (23.0%) Hispenic and other. With an enrollment of 582, Elmwood ranks first in total high school enrollment. At the present time, there are two bus routes directly to Central/Classical, with none to Hope or Mount Pleasant.

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A.1 - 1960, 1975: TOTAL POPULATION BY 5 YEAR INTERVALS				
POPULATION	YEAR			
	1960	1965	1970	1975
NUMBER	15,649	14,448	14,456	14,309
% OF TOTAL POPULATION OF PROVIDENCE	7.8	8.0	8.1	8.6

A.2 - 1960, 1970: POPULATION BY WHITE AND NON-WHITE		
POPULATION	YEAR	
	1960	1970
WHITE	15,379	13,319
NON-WHITE	270	1,137

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A.3 - 1960, 1970 CENSUS: POPULATION BY RACE AND SPANISH LANGUAGE

YEAR	TOTAL POPULATION	WHITE		NON-WHITE		BLACK		SPANISH LANGUAGE	
		#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%
1960	15649	15379	98.3	270	1.7	222	1.4	N/A	N/A
1970	14456	13319	92.1	1137	7.9	917	6.3	90	0.6
1960-1970 Increase (+) Decrease (-)		-2060	-13.4	+867	+321.1	+695	+313.1	N/A	N/A
% Change in Proportional Distribution		-6.2		+6.2		+4.9		N/A	

A.4 - 1970 CENSUS: FERTILITY RATIO BY POPULATION

Total Population	117.2

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A.5 - 1970 CENSUS: PERSONS 25 YEARS OF AGE AND OVER BY RACE AND YEARS OF SCHOOL COMPLETED

LEVEL AND YEARS OF SCHOOL COMPLETED	TOTAL POPULATION		WHITE		BLACK		OTHER	
	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%
NO SCHOOL YEAR COMPLETED	133	1.5	126	1.5	-	-	7	5.7
ELEMENTARY: 1-4 YEARS	133	1.5	109	1.3	24	6.2	-	-
5-7 YEARS	1213	13.5	1114	13.1	91	23.5	8	6.5
8 YEARS	1382	15.3	1339	15.8	37	9.6	6	4.9
HIGH SCHOOL: 1-3 YEARS	2626	29.2	2523	29.7	81	20.9	22	17.9
4 YEARS	2212	24.6	2085	24.5	113	29.2	14	11.4
COLLEGE: 1-3 YEARS	695	7.7	659	7.8	26	6.7	10	8.1
4 YEARS OR MORE	613	6.8	542	6.4	15	3.9	56	45.5
TOTAL	9007	100.1	8497	100.1	387	100.0	123	100.0

A.6 - 1970 CENSUS: MEDIAN SCHOOL YEARS COMPLETED
TOTAL POPULATION
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A. 7 - 1970 CENSUS: NATIVITY AND PARENTAGE

NATIVITY	TOTAL POPULATION	
	#	%
NATIVE OF NATIVE PARENT	9756	67.5
FOREIGN STOCK	4700	32.5
TOTAL	14456	100.0

A. 8 - 1970 CENSUS: MOST FREQUENT COUNTRY OF ORIGIN OF FOREIGN STOCK

COUNTRY OF ORIGIN	# OF PERSONS	% FOREIGN STOCK POPULATION
CANADA	749	15.9
IRELAND	647	13.7
ITALY	644	13.7
USSR	486	10.3

A. 9 - 1970 CENSUS: SPANISH POPULATION INDICATORS

INDICATORS	# OF PERSONS	% OF TOTAL POPULATION
SPANISH LANGUAGE	90	0.6

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B.1 - 1970 CENSUS: NUMBER OF EMPLOYED PERSONS 16 YEARS OLD AND OVER BY OCCUPATION

OCCUPATION	1960[1]		1970							
	TOTAL PERSONS EMPLOYED		TOTAL PERSONS EMPLOYED		WHITE		BLACK		SPANISH	
	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%
Professional, Technical and Kindred Workers	657	11.7	835	14.1	743	14.3	33	10.8	13	72.2
Managers and Administrators Except Farm	432	7.7	286	4.8	268	4.9	12	3.9	-	-
Sales Workers	503	9.0	247	4.2	247	4.5	-	-	-	-
Clerical and Kindred Workers	1190	21.2	1182	20.0	1140	20.9	36	11.8	-	-
Craftsmen, Foremen and Kindred Workers	774	13.8	719	12.2	679	12.4	40	13.1	-	-
Operatives, Except Transport	1288	23.0	1252	21.1	1183	21.7	64	20.9	5	27.8
Transport Equipment Operatives	40	0.7	211	3.6	202	3.7	9	2.9	-	-
Laborers, Except Farm	165	2.9	227	3.8	222	4.1	5	1.6	-	-
Farmers and Farm Managers	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Farm Laborers and Foremen										
Service Workers, Except Private Household	496	8.9	912	15.4	783	14.3	102	33.3	-	-
Private Household Workers	57	1.0	37	0.6	32	0.6	5	1.6	-	-
TOTAL	5602	100.0	5908	100.0	5463		306		18	100.0

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[1] 1960 data listed for persons 14 years old and over.

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B.2 - 1960 CENSUS: EMPLOYMENT STATUS, MALES 14 YEARS AND OVER (CIVILIAN LABOR FORCE)

STATUS	TOTAL	
	#	%
EMPLOYED	3833	94.8
UNEMPLOYED	209	5.2

B.3 - 1960 CENSUS: EMPLOYMENT STATUS, FEMALES 14 YEARS AND OVER (CIVILIAN LABOR FORCE)

STATUS	TOTAL	
	#	%
EMPLOYED	2617	95.7
UNEMPLOYED	118	4.3

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B.4 - 1970 CENSUS: EMPLOYMENT STATUS BY RACE OF MALES 16 YEARS AND OVER (CIVILIAN LABOR FORCE)

STATUS	POPULATION		WHITE		BLACK	
	#	%	#	%	#	%
EMPLOYED	3293	95.9	3055	96.0	161	97.6
UNEMPLOYED	142	4.1	128	4.0	4	2.4
TOTAL	3435	100.0	3183	100.0	165	100.0

B.5 - 1970 CENSUS: EMPLOYMENT STATUS BY RACE OF FEMALES 16 YEARS AND OVER (CIVILIAN LABOR FORCE)

STATUS	POPULATION		WHITE		BLACK	
	#	%	#	%	#	%
EMPLOYED	2615	96.8	2444	96.9	145	93.5
UNEMPLOYED	87	3.2	77	3.1	10	6.5
TOTAL	2702	100.0	2521	100.0	155	100.0

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B.6 - 1960, 1970 CENSUS: MEDIAN INCOME

6.1 1960 MEDIAN INCOME [1]

YEAR	ALL FAMILIES AND UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS
1960	$4246

6.2 1970 MEDIAN INCOME

YEAR	ALL FAMILIES	ALL UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS
1970	$7,909	$2,750

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1) 1960 Median Income Data is not disaggregated by families and unrelated individuals.

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B.7 - 1970 CENSUS: PERSONS BELOW POVERTY LEVEL

TOTAL POPULATION		
# PERSONS	% OF NEIGHBORHOOD POPULATION	% OF TOTAL POPULATION OF PROVIDENCE BELOW POVERTY LEVEL
2717	18.8	8.4

B.8 - 1970 CENSUS: NUMBER OF RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 IN FAMILIES BELOW POVERTY LEVEL BY RACE

TOTAL POPULATION			WHITE		BLACK		OTHER	
# PERSONS	% OF NEIGHBORHOOD POPULATION BELOW 18 YEARS	% OF RELATED CHILDREN IN PROVIDENCE UNDER 18 YEARS, BELOW POVERTY LEVEL	#	%	#	%	#	%
950	25.2	8.6	829	87.3	121	12.7	-	-

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B.9 - 1972-1977: DECEMBER AFDC CASES		
YEAR	NUMBER OF CASES	% OF CASES IN PROVIDENCE
1972	649	12.0
1973	647	11.9
1974	725	12.9
1975	759	13.3
1976	791	13.6
1977	905	15.2

B. 10 - 1970 CENSUS: FAMILIES RECEIVING PUBLIC ASSISTANCE		
# FAMILIES RECEIVING PUBLIC ASSISTANCE	% OF ALL FAMILIES IN NEIGHBORHOOD	% OF FAMILIES IN PROVIDENCE RECEIVING PUBLIC ASSISTANCE
197	9.3	5.6

B.11 - 1970 CENSUS: UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS RECEIVING PUBLIC ASSISTANCE		
# PERSONS	% OF UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS IN NEIGHBORHOOD	% OF TOTAL UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS RECEIVING PUBLIC ASSISTANCE IN PROVIDENCE
969	37.4	5.2

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C.1 - 1975: TOTAL HOUSING, VACANCY RATE, AND UNITS IN NEED OF SUBSTANTIAL REHABILITATION

Characteristics	Number
Total Housing Units	5254
Vacancy Rate	3.8%
% of Units in Need of Substantial Rehabilitation*	66.8

* The need for "substantial rehabilitation" was determined by the Department of Planning and Urban Development based on a survey which considered structural factors including: Foundation, Exterior Shell, Porches and Stairs, Gutters and Down Spouts, Doors and Windows, Roof and Chimney.

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C.2 - 1970 CENSUS: UNITS IN STRUCTURE AS A PERCENTAGE OF NEIGHBORHOOD'S HOUSING STRUCTURES

	1970	
NUMBER OF UNITS IN STRUCTURE	#	%
1 (INCLUDES MOBILE HOME/ TRAILER)	751	12.0
2	1,473	23.5
3 AND 4	2,175	34.7
5 TO 49	1,818	29.0
50 AND OVER	49	.8
TOTAL YEAR-ROUND HOUSING UNITS	6,266	100.0

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C.3 - 1970 CENSUS: AGE OF NEIGHBORHOOD HOUSING AS A PERCENTAGE OF TOTAL NEIGHBORHOOD HOUSING UNITS

AGE OF HOUSING	#	%
1969 TO MARCH 1970	5	.07
1965 TO 1968	72	1.14
1960 TO 1964	130	2.1
1950 TO 1959	435	6.9
1940 TO 1949	435	6.9
1939 AND EARLIER	5,189	82.8
TOTAL	6,266	100.0

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C.4 - 1960, 1970 CENSUS: HOUSING UNITS BY OWNER AND RENTER

	1960	1970	Net Change 1960-1970
Total Housing Units	6252	6266	+ 14
Owner Occupied	1729	1505	- 224
Renter Occupied	4153	4285	+ 132
Vacancy Rate	6.0%	7.7%	+ 28.3%

C.5 - 1970 CENSUS: MEDIAN VALUE OR RENT OF OCCUPIED UNITS

	1970
Median Value	$12,000
Median Rent	$70

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C.6 - 1960. 1970 CENSUS: RENTER-OCCUPIED AS A PERCENTAGE OF NEIGHBORHOOD'S RENTED UNITS

	1960		1970	
	#	%	#	%
Total - Rented Units	4148	100.0	4285	100.0
Less Than $40	232	5.6	28	0.7
$40 to $59	1167	28.1	318	7.4
$60 to $79	1674	40.4	898	21.0
$80 to $99	755	18.2	1193	27.8
$100 to $149	216	5.2	1521	35.5
$150 and Over	104	2.5	235	5.5
No Cash Rents	-	-	92	2.1
Median Rent	$67	-	$94	-

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C. 7 - 1970 CENSUS: VALUE OF OWNER OCCUPIED HOUSING BY HEAD OF HOUSEHOLD

	TOTAL OWNER OCCUPIED UNITS	
SINGLE FAMILY	#	%
Less Than $5,000	18	2.7
$5,000 - $7,499	62	9.4
$7,500 - $9,999	87	13.2
$10,000 - $14,999	279	42.4
$15,000 - $19,999	134	20.4
$20,000 - $24,999	48	7.3
$25,000 - $34,999	25	3.8
$35,000 - $49,999	4	.6
$50,000 and over	1	.2
TOTAL	658	100.0

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C.8 - 1960, 1970 CENSUS: DENSITY OF RESIDENCE WITHIN HOUSING UNIT

	1960		1970	
	#	%	#	%
TOTAL NUMBER OF OCCUPIED UNITS	5882	100.0	5790	100.0
ROOMS WITH 1.00 PERSONS OR LESS	5640	95.9	5532	95.5
ROOMS WITH 1.01 PERSONS OR MORE	242	4.1	258	4.5
MEDIAN PERSONS PER OCCUPIED UNIT	2.1	-	1.9	-

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C. 9 - 1970 CENSUS: NUMBER OF AUTOMOBILES AVAILABLE BY HOUSEHOLD

Automobiles	# Households
One	2860
Two	830
Three or More	75
None	2025

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C. 10 1975 DISTRIBUTION OF LAND USE BY NEIGHBORHOOD

LAND USE CATEGORY	LAND AREA IN SQ. FT.	% OF TOTAL AREA
Undeveloped Land and Water Areas	1,345,518	5.0
Residential Uses (Total)	11,687,701	43.0
One Family	3,453,611	12.7
Two Family	3,195,500	11.8
Three Family	1,848,161	6.8
Multi-Family	1,756,797	6.5
Other	537,571	2.0
Manufacturing	1,008,624	3.7
Transportation, Communication and Utilities	2,187,617	8.1
Trade (Total)	1,501,064	5.5
Wholesale	335,727	1.2
Retail	1,165,337	4.2
General Services	676,082	2.5
Institutional and Governmental Services (Total)	1,840,847	6.7
Education (Nursery, Primary and Secondary)	311,547	1.1
Educational Services (other)	29,170	.1
Religious Services	187,347	.7
Medical and Health Services	180,387	.7
Government	246,083	.9
Other (Service Organizations, Cemeteries, etc.)	886,313	3.3
Cultural, Entertainment, and Recreation Services	6,891,705	25.4
Resource Production and Extraction	--	--
Totals	27,139,158	100.0

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D. 1 - 1966-1974: NET EFFECT OF RESIDENT BIRTHS AND DEATHS

YEAR	BIRTHS	% OF CITY BIRTHS	DEATHS	% OF CITY DEATHS	NET EFFECT
1966	271	8.2	239	9.0	+32
1967	248	7.9	262	9.8	-14
1968	259	8.3	277	10.4	-18
1969	293	9.4	259	10.6	+34
1970	308	9.8	230	9.4	+78
1971	250	9.0	242	10.0	+28
1972	258	10.3	214	9.4	+44
1973	255	10.7	238	10.1	+17
1974	216	10.2	220	10.3	-4
TOTALS	2378	-	2181	-	+197
5 YR. AVERAGE 1970-74	216.4	10.0	228.8	9.8	-12.4

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D.2 - 1970-1974: SELECTED HEALTH INDICES: MORTALITY

	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	5 YEAR AVERAGE
Deaths by Cause						
Malignant Neoplasms	45	54	31	37	36	40.6
Lung	11	10	5	7	7	8.0
Breast	-	10	2	5	2	3.8
Cervix	-	-	-	-	3	0.6
Colon & Rectum	15	11	8	9	7	10.0
Diabetes Mellitus	8	5	8	4	7	6.4
Cadiovascular Disease	123	136	119	141	111	126.0
Heart Disease (All Forms)	98	101	88	105	83	95.0
Myocardial Infarction	42	37	48	52	44	44.6
Chronic Ischemic Heart Dis.	33	46	33	40	18	35.0
Cerebrovascular Disease	20	26	23	19	23	22.2
Respiratory Disease	15	13	17	22	12	15.8
Pneumonia/Influenza	6	9	10	13	5	8.6
Emphysema	3	2	3	2	1	2.2
Gastrointestinal Disease	10	9	9	6	13	9.4
Cirrhosis of the Liver	8		4	4	7	5.4
External Causes	13	14	11	15	21	14.8
Motor Vehicle Accidents	2	4	3	2	4	3.0

otal Deaths	230	242	214	238	220	228.8
Mean Age at Death	70.0	70.8	69.1	69.5	68.1	69.6
Infant Deaths	4	5	6	2	5	4.4
Number Age 65 and Over	162	181	150	171	149	162.6

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D.3 - 1970-1974: SELECTED HEALTH INDICIES: NATALITY

INDICIES	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	Five Year Average
LIVE BIRTHS	308	270	258	255	216	261.4
NEWBORNS WEIGHING BELOW 2500 GRAMS (5½ LBS.)	31	27	26	25	19	25.6
BIRTHS TO MOTHERS UNDER AGE 20	53	60	54	57	52	55.2
BIRTHS TO MOTHERS AGE 35 AND OVER	17	7	9	11	3	9.4
BIRTHS OF PARITY GREATER THAN 3	62	42	46	38	19	41.4

D.4 - 1977: ADMISSIONS AND RATE/THOUSAND TO PROVIDENCE MENTAL HEALTH CENTER

ADMISSIONS	RATE/THOUSAND	% OF NEIGHBORHOOD POPULATION
210	14.8	1.5

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E.1 - 1972, 1973: FAMILY COURT HEARINGS OTHER THAN WAYWARD/DELINQUENT (MOTOR VEHICLE VIOLATIONS EXCLUDED), MALE AND FEMALE CHILDREN

	1973		1972	
MALE CHILDREN	# CASES	% CITY CASES	# CASES	% CITY CASES
NEW	16	6.7	25	9.0
REPEATERS	22	6.9	16	5.9
VIOLATORS OF PROBATION	23	8.3	32	9.3

	1973		1972	
FEMALE CHILDREN	# CASES	% CITY CASES	# CASES	% CITY CASES
NEW	4	5.0	7	7.4
REPEATERS	5	10.6	4	9.3
VIOLATORS OF PROBATION	2	5.5	0	N/A

	1973		1972	
TOTAL CHILDREN	# CASES	% CITY CASES	# CASES	% CITY CASES
NEW	20	6.3	32	8.6
REPEATERS	27	7.4	20	6.4
VIOLATORS OF PROBATION	25	8.0	32	8.7

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E.2 - 1972, 1973: NON-JUDICIAL MOTOR VEHICLE VIOLATIONS ONLY

MALE CHILDREN	1973 # CASES	 % CITY CASES	1972 # CASES	 % CITY CASES
NEW	8	10.2	3	3.7
REPEATERS	-	-	1	14.3
VIOLATORS OF PROBATION	-	-	-	-

FEMALE CHILDREN	1973 # CASES	 % CITY CASES	1972 # CASES	 % CITY CASES
NEW	2	16.6	-	-
REPEATERS	-	-	-	-
VIOLATORS OF PROBATION	-	-	-	-

TOTAL CHILDREN	1973 # CASES	 % CITY CASES	1972 # CASES	 % CITY CASES
NEW	10	11.1	3	3.3
REPEATERS	-	-	1	12.5
VIOLATORS OF PROBATION	-	-	-	-

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E.3 - 1972, 1973: NON-JUDICIAL - OTHER THAN WAYWARD/DELINQUENT (MOTOR VEHICLE VIOLATIONS EXCLUDED)

	1973		1972	
MALE CHILDREN	# CASES	% CITY CASES	# CASES	% CITY CASES
NEW	4	10.8	2	9.1
REPEATERS	1	6.6	-	-
VIOLATORS OF PROBATION	-	-	1	50.0

	1973		1972	
FEMALE CHILDREN	# CASES	% CITY CASES	# CASES	% CITY CASES
NEW	2	9.1	2	18.1
REPEATERS	-	-	-	-
VIOLATORS OF PROBATION	-	-	-	-

	1973		1972	
TOTAL CHILDREN	# CASES	% CITY CASES	# CASES	% CITY CASES
NEW	6	10.1	4	12.1
REPEATERS	1	5.8	-	-
VIOLATORS OF PROBATION	-	-	1	50.0

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E.4 - 1972, 1973: HEARINGS - MOTOR VEHICLE VIOLATIONS ONLY

	1973		1972	
MALE CHILDREN	# CASES	% CITY CASES	# CASES	% CITY CASES
NEW	7	10.7	3	4.3
REPEATERS	2	3.3	4	7.8
VIOLATORS OF PROBATION	4	11.4	5	13.8

	1973		1972	
FEMALE CHILDREN	# CASES	% CITY CASES	# CASES	% CITY CASES
NEW	-	-	-	-
REPEATERS	-	-	1	50.0
VIOLATORS OF PROBATION	-	-	-	-

	1973		1972	
TOTAL CHILDREN	# CASES	% CITY CASES	# CASES	% CITY CASES
NEW	7	9.7	3	3.6
REPEATERS	2	3.2	5	9.4
VIOLATORS OF PROBATION	4	11.4	5	12.8

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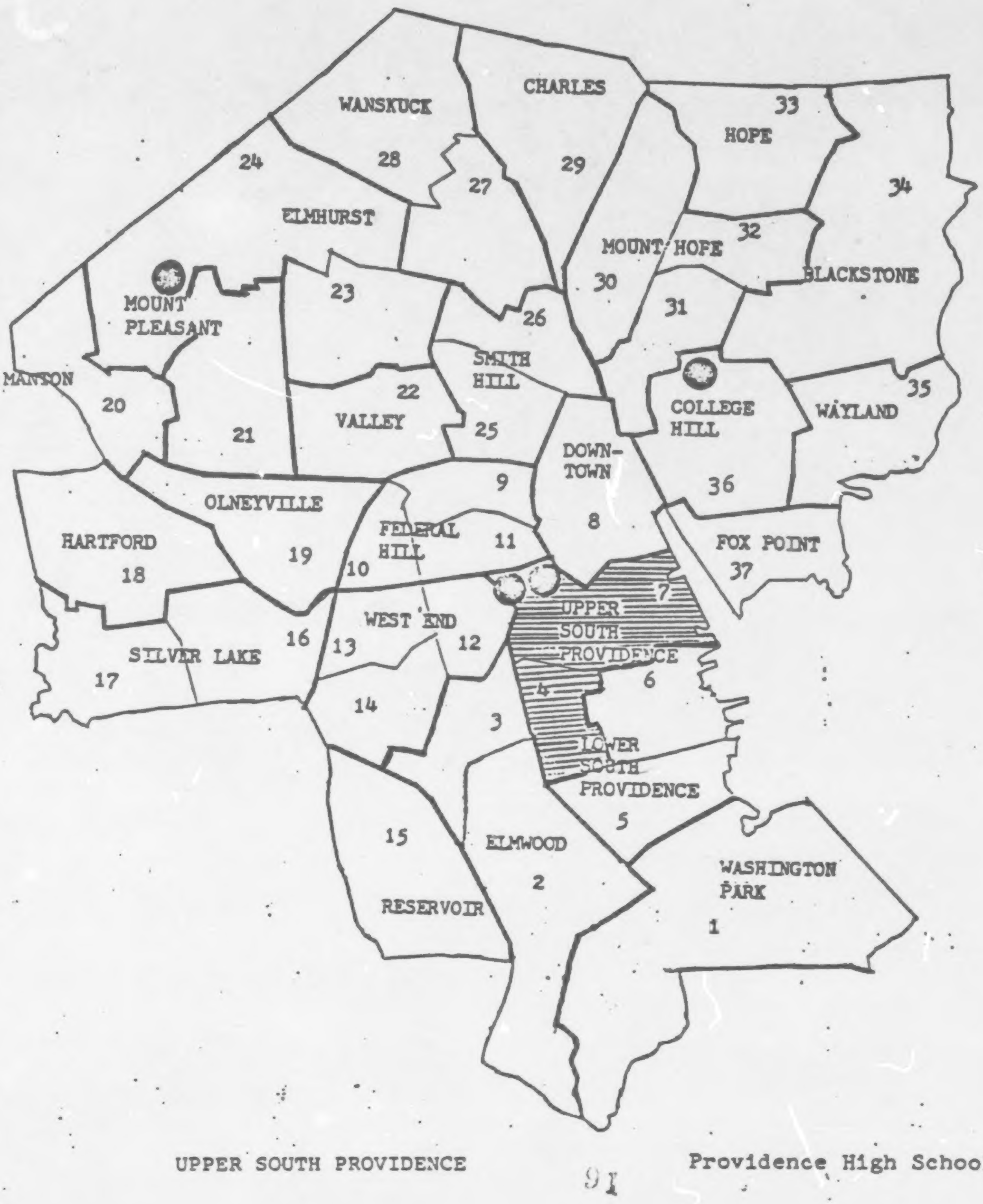
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The Upper South Providence neighborhood, composed of census tracts 4 and 7, is located in the southeastern area of the City of Providence. It is bounded on the north by Interstate 95, on the south by Lower South Providence, on the east by Providence Harbor, and on the west by Broad Street.

Throughout the 18th century this area was used primarily as pasture land, with the only significant action being the setting aside of land for future use by health facilities. This site is now occupied by Rhode Island Hospital. The first major development in Upper South Providence came in the early 1800's with the influx of a large number of Irish immigrants, many from Fox Point. By the end of the century most of the land had been built for residential purposes with this neighborhood claiming the distinction of being the city's largest Irish area.

The early part of the 20th century witnessed the popularity of the three-decker house as well as the establishment of a significant Jewish enclave. After 1925, this neighborhood enjoyed several decades of social stability while the physical fabric of the community was becoming outmoded. By the early 50's, Upper South Providence experienced an outflow of its traditional inhabitants (Irish and Jewish), and a large stock of decaying homes were left vacant. This movement brought the influx of less affluent minorities from other areas, as well as absentee landlordism. The maintenance of the neighborhood was even further lessened.

The population levels which had dropped-off drastically in the 1950's, continued to fall into the 60's and 70's. The adandonment resulted in many buildings being vandalized and burned. Urban renewal efforts of the last decades have accomplished little in trying to reverse the neighborhood's decline, with the construction of Route 95 causing even more problems. Today, Upper South Providence is still a depressed area, but it appears to be leveling off. Several housing projects have been constructed in recent years, with renewal attempts more carefully considered, and an emphasis on reconstruction.

In 1970, the population of Upper South Providence was 8138 with a racial and ethnic composition of 52.9% White, 38.2% Black and 2.5% Spanish speaking. Between the years of 1960-1970, there was a net decrease of 7061 whites (59.2%) coupled with an increase of 1224 (59.6%) non-whites. In 1970 the total foreign stock population for Upper South Providence numbered 1385. The four most frequent countries of origin were Ireland (24.6%), Italy (15.8%), Canada (14.1%), and USSR (9.7%). English is the predominantly spoken language.

Between the years 1960 and 1970 the median income for all families rose from $4,173 to $5,495, an increase of 31.6%. In 1970, the median income for all unrelated individuals was $1,998. In 1960, 2917 (87.1%) of the Upper South Providence male population fourteen years and older was employed in the civilian labor force as opposed to 1845 (89.5%) of the female population. By 1970 the percentage of males sixteen years and older had increased to 93.3% (1676) and 93.8% (1041) for the female population. The unemployment rates for 1960 and 1970 were 2.9% and 13.9% respectively.

With an unemployment rate of 13.9% in Upper South Providence in 1970, 200 (9.5%) of the neighborhood's families were receiving public assistance as were 944 (5.1%) of all unrelated individuals. Between the years 1972 and 1977, the number of AFDC recipients changed from 609 to 405 which corresponds to 11.2% and 6.8% of the number of cases for the City of Providence.

The general housing indicators for Upper South Providence have shown variation between 1960 and 1970. The number of owner occupied units was 831 in 1960 and 958 in 1970. During this same timespan, the number of renter occupied units changed from 4350 to 2668 with a vacancy rate increase from 10.7% to 15.4%. In 1970, the median value of occupied units was $8,450 and the median rent $86.00. In 1975, the number of units in need of substantial rehabilitation in Upper South Providence totalled 1835 (92.6%). Between 1960 and 1970, the total number of rented units decreased from 4350 to 2657 with a change in rents from $59.00 to $86.00. In 1970 the breakdown of the age of housing as a percentage of the number of housing units appeared as follows: .7% built between 1969 and 1970; .05% 1965 to 1968; .4% 1960 to 1964; .1% 1950 to 1959; 4.7% 1940 to 1949; and 94.2% constructed prior to 1939. Also in 1970 there were 1272 households with one automobile, 197 with two and 6 with three or more. Sixteen hundred thirty-nine households were listed as having none at all. The median years of education completed in 1970 by persons twenty-five years and older was 9.9 for the total population.

Currently there are 273 eighth through eleventh graders in Upper South Providence which is a part of the Central High School feeder pattern. Of these 273 students, there are 49 (17.9%) Whites, 172 (63%) Black and 52 (18.7%) Portuguese and other. With an enrollment of 273, Upper South Providence ranks 8th in total high school enrollment. At the present time, there are 6 bus routes directly to Central/Classical, with none to Hope or Mount Pleasant.

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A.1 - 1960, 1975: TOTAL POPULATION BY 5 YEAR INTERVALS				
POPULATION	YEAR			
	1960	1965	1970	1975
NUMBER	13,995	11,127	8,138	4,850
% OF TOTAL POPULATION OF PROVIDENCE	7.0	6.2	4.5	2.9

A.2 - 1960, 1970: POPULATION BY WHITE AND NON-WHITE		
POPULATION	YEAR	
	1960	1970
WHITE	11,921	4,860
NON-WHITE	2,074	3,278

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A.3 - 1960, 1970 CENSUS: POPULATION BY RACE AND SPANISH LANGUAGE

YEAR	TOTAL POPULATION	WHITE		NON-WHITE		BLACK		SPANISH LANGUAGE	
		#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%
1960	10479	9037	86.2	1442	13.8	1357	12.9	N/A	N/A
1970	6828	3560	52.1	3268	47.9	3211	47.0	127	1.9
1960-1970 Increase (+) Decrease (-)		-5477	-60.6	+1826	+126.6	+1854	+136.6	N/A	N/A
% Change in Proportional Distribution		-34.1		+34.1		+34.1		N/A	

A.4 - 1970 CENSUS: FERTILITY RATIO BY POPULATION

Total Population	133.7

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A.5 - 1970 CENSUS: PERSONS 25 YEARS OF AGE AND OVER BY RACE AND YEARS OF SCHOOL COMPLETED

LEVEL AND YEARS OF SCHOOL COMPLETED	TOTAL POPULATION		WHITE		BLACK		OTHER	
	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%
NO SCHOOL YEAR COMPLETED	73	1.6	48	1.5	25	1.8	-	-
ELEMENTARY: 1-4 YEARS	218	4.7	143	4.5	75	5.3	-	-
5-7 YEARS	674	14.5	467	14.9	190	13.3	17	21.5
8 YEARS	961	20.7	686	21.8	267	18.8	8	10.1
HIGH SCHOOL: 1-3 YEARS	1306	28.1	832	26.5	450	31.6	24	30.4
4 YEARS	996	21.4	677	21.5	296	20.8	23	29.1
COLLEGE: 1-3 YEARS	277	6.0	184	5.9	89	6.3	4	5.1
4 YEARS OR MORE	142	3.1	107	3.4	32	2.2	3	3.8
TOTAL	4647	100.0	3144	100.0	1424	100.0	79	100.0

A.6 - 1970 CENSUS: MEDIAN SCHOOL YEARS COMPLETED

TOTAL POPULATION
9.9

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A.7 - 1970 CENSUS: NATIVITY AND PARENTAGE		
NATIVITY	TOTAL POPULATION	
	#	%
NATIVE OF NATIVE PARENT	6403	82.2
FOREIGN STOCK	1385	17.8
TOTAL	7788	100.0

A.8 - 1970 CENSUS: MOST FREQUENT COUNTRY OF ORIGIN OF FOREIGN STOCK		
COUNTRY OF ORIGIN	# OF PERSONS	% FOREIGN STOCK POPULATION
IRELAND	341	24.6
CANADA	197	14.2
ITALY	106	7.6
USSR	77	5.6

A.9 - 1970 CENSUS: SPANISH POPULATION INDICATORS		
INDICATORS	# OF PERSONS	% OF TOTAL POPULATION
SPANISH LANGUAGE	167	2.1

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B.1 - 1970 CENSUS: NUMBER OF EMPLOYED PERSONS 16 YEARS OLD AND OVER BY OCCUPATION

OCCUPATION	1960[1] TOTAL PERSONS EMPLOYED #	%	1970 TOTAL PERSONS EMPLOYED #	%	WHITE #	%	BLACK #	%	SPANISH #	%
Professional, Technical and Kindred Workers	414	9.9	217	8.0	107	6.4	110	11.1	-	-
Managers and Administrators Except Farm	178	4.2	98	3.6	87	5.2	11	1.1	-	-
Sales Workers	234	5.6	77	2.8	65	3.9	12	1.2	-	-
Clerical and Kindred Workers	635	15.1	355	13.1	241	14.4	114	11.5	8	9.4
Craftsmen, Foremen and Kindred Workers	515	12.3	304	11.2	223	13.3	71	7.2	24	28.2
Operatives, Except Transport	1461	34.9	777	28.6	432	25.9	332	35.5	38	44.7
Transport Equipment Operatives	17	0.4	151	5.5	80	4.8	71	7.2	-	-
Laborers, Except Farm	165	3.9	170	6.2	102	6.1	62	6.3	15	17.6
Farmers and Farm Managers Farm Laborers and Foremen	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Service Workers, Except Private Household	524	12.5	531	19.5	318	19.0	185	18.7	-	-
Private Household Workers	48	1.1	37	1.4	15	0.9	22	2.2	-	-
TOTAL	4191	100.0	2717	100.0	1670		990		85	

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[1] 1960 data listed for persons 14 years old and over.

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B.2 - 1960 CENSUS: EMPLOYMENT STATUS, MALES 14 YEARS AND OVER (CIVILIAN LABOR FORCE)

STATUS	TOTAL	
	#	%
EMPLOYED	2917	87.1
UNEMPLOYED	431	12.9

B.3 - 1960 CENSUS: EMPLOYMENT STATUS, FEMALES 14 YEARS AND OVER (CIVILIAN LABOR FORCE)

STATUS	TOTAL	
	#	%
EMPLOYED	1845	89.5
UNEMPLOYED	217	10.5

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B.4 - 1970 CENSUS: EMPLOYMENT STATUS BY RACE OF MALES 16 YEARS AND OVER (CIVILIAN LABOR FORCE)

STATUS	POPULATION		WHITE		BLACK	
	#	%	#	%	#	%
EMPLOYED	1616	92.3	1066	90.8	573	94.9
UNEMPLOYED	139	7.7	108	9.2	31	5.1
TOTAL	1815	100.0	1174	100.0	604	100.0

B.5 - 1970 CENSUS: EMPLOYMENT STATUS BY RACE OF FEMALES 16 YEARS AND OVER (CIVILIAN LABOR FORCE)

STATUS	POPULATION		WHITE		BLACK	
	#	%	#	%	#	%
EMPLOYED	1041	93.8	604	96.3	417	90.1
UNEMPLOYED	69	6.2	23	3.7	46	9.9
TOTAL	1110	100.0	627	100.0	463	100.0

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B.6 - 1960, 1970 CENSUS: MEDIAN INCOME

6.1 1960 MEDIAN INCOME [1]

YEAR	ALL FAMILIES AND UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS
1960	$2689

6.2 1970 MEDIAN INCOME

YEAR	ALL FAMILIES	ALL UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS
1970	$5,495	$1,198

1) 1960 Median Income Data is not disaggregated by families and unrelated individuals.

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B.7 - 1970 CENSUS: PERSONS BELOW POVERTY LEVEL		
TOTAL POPULATION		
# PERSONS	% OF NEIGHBORHOOD POPULATION	% OF TOTAL POPULATION OF PROVIDENCE BELOW POVERTY LEVEL
2756	33.7	8.5

B.8 - 1970 CENSUS: NUMBER OF RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 IN FAMILIES BELOW POVERTY LEVEL BY RACE								
TOTAL POPULATION			WHITE		BLACK		OTHER	
# PERSONS	% OF NEIGHBORHOOD POPULATION BELOW 18 YEARS	% OF RELATED CHILDREN IN PROVIDENCE UNDER 18 YEARS, BELOW POVERTY LEVEL	#	%	#	%	#	%
1165	50.1	10.5	400	34.3	765	65.7	-	-

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B.9 - 1972-1977: DECEMBER AFDC CASES

YEAR	NUMBER OF CASES	% OF CASES IN PROVIDENCE
1972	609	11.2
1973	519	9.6
1974	460	8.2
1975	413	7.2
1976	406	7.0
1977	405	6.8

B. 10 - 1970 CENSUS: FAMILIES RECEIVING PUBLIC ASSISTANCE

# FAMILIES RECEIVING PUBLIC ASSISTANCE	% OF ALL FAMILIES IN NEIGHBORHOOD	% OF FAMILIES IN PROVIDENCE RECEIVING PUBLIC ASSISTANCE
200	9.5	11.5

B.11 - 1970 CENSUS: UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS RECEIVING PUBLIC ASSISTANCE

# PERSONS	% OF UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS IN NEIGHBORHOOD	% OF TOTAL UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS RECEIVING PUBLIC ASSISTANCE IN PROVIDENCE
944	45.4	5.1

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C.1 - 1975: TOTAL HOUSING, VACANCY RATE, AND UNITS IN NEED OF SUBSTANTIAL REHABILITATION

Characteristics	Number
Total Housing Units	2222
Vacancy Rate	8.0%
% of Units in Need of Substantial Rehabilitation *	82.6

* The need for "substantial rehabilitation" was determined by the Department of Planning and Urban Development based on a survey which considered structural factors including: Foundation, Exterior Shell, Porches and Stairs, Gutters and Down Spouts, Doors and Windows, Roof and Chimney.

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C.2 - 1970 CENSUS: UNITS IN STRUCTURE AS A PERCENTAGE OF NEIGHBORHOOD'S HOUSING STRUCTURES		
	1970	
NUMBER OF UNITS IN STRUCTURE	#	%
1 (INCLUDES MOBILE HOME/ TRAILER)	274	7.4
2	730	19.8
3 AND 4	1,537	41.8
5 TO 49	1,065	29.0
50 AND OVER	72	2.0
TOTAL YEAR-ROUND HOUSING UNITS	3,678	100.0

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C.3 - 1970 CENSUS: AGE OF NEIGHBORHOOD HOUSING AS A PERCENTAGE OF TOTAL NEIGHBORHOOD HOUSING UNITS

AGE OF HOUSING	#	%
1969 TO MARCH 1970	23	0.7
1965 TO 1968	2	.05
1960 TO 1964	15	0.4
1950 TO 1959	4	.1
1940 TO 1949	171	4.7
1939 AND EARLIER	3,463	94.2
TOTAL	3,678	100.0

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C.4 - 1960, 1970 CENSUS: HOUSING UNITS BY ~~OWNER AND RENTER~~

	1960	1970	Net Change 1960-1970
Total Housing Units	5815	3697	- 2118
Owner Occupied	831	958	+ 127
Renter Occupied	4350	2668	- 1682
Vacancy Rate	10.7%	15.4%	+ 43.9%

C.5 - 1970 CENSUS: MEDIAN VALUE OR RENT OF OCCUPIED UNITS

STATUS	1970
Median Value	$8,450
Median Rent	$55

C.6 - 1960, 1970 CENSUS: RENTER-OCCUPIED AS A PERCENTAGE OF NEIGHBORHOOD'S RENTED UNITS

	1960		1970	
	#	%	#	%
Total - Rented Units	4350	100.0	2657	100.0
Less Than $40	689	15.8	70	2.6
$40 to $59	1531	35.2	524	19.7
$60 to $79	1554	35.7	764	28.7
$80 to $99	465	10.7	583	21.9
$100 to $149	47	1.1	586	22.1
$150 and Over	64	1.5	96	3.6
No Cash Rents	-	-	29	1.1
Median Rent	$59	-	$86	-

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C. 7 - 1970 CENSUS: VALUE OF OWNER OCCUPIED HOUSING BY HEAD OF HOUSEHOLD

	TOTAL OWNER OCCUPIED UNITS	
SINGLE FAMILY	#	%
Less Than $5,000	13	10.3
$5,000 - $7,499	41	32.5
$7,500 - $9,999	41	32.5
$10,000 - $14,999	28	22.2
$15,000 - $19,999	2	1.6
$20,000 - $24,999	0	.0
$25,000 - $34,999	1	.8
$35,000 - $49,999	0	.0
$50,000 and over	0	.0
TOTAL	126	100.0

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C.8 - 1960, 1970 CENSUS: DENSITY OF RESIDENCE WITHIN HOUSING UNIT

	1960		1970	
	#	%	#	%
TOTAL NUMBER OF OCCUPIED UNITS	5181	100.0	3126	100.0
ROOMS WITH 1.00 PERSONS OR LESS	4743	91.5	2933	93.8
ROOMS WITH 1.01 PERSONS OR MORE	438	8.5	193	6.2
MEDIAN PERSONS PER OCCUPIED UNIT	2.0	-	1.8	-

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C. 9 - 1970 CENSUS: NUMBER OF AUTOMOBILES AVAILABLE BY HOUSEHOLD

Automobiles	# Household
One	1272
Two	197
Three or More	6
None	1639

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C. 10 1975 DISTRIBUTION OF LAND USE BY NEIGHBORHOOD

LAND USE CATEGORY	LAND AREA IN SQ. FT.	% OF TOTAL AREA
Undeveloped Land and Water Areas	2,400,643	16.1
Residential Uses (Total)	3,836,923	25.9
One Family	575,129	3.9
Two Family	831,820	5.6
Three Family	1,325,691	8.9
Multi-Family	776,953	5.2
Other	327,330	2.2
Manufacturing	1,452,327	9.8
Transportation, Communication and Utilities	2,483,446	16.7
Trade (Total)	566,408	3.8
Wholesale	95,196	.6
Retail	471,212	3.2
General Services	1,100,741	7.4
Institutional and Governmental Services (Total)	2,410,950	16.2
Education (Nursery, Primary and Secondary)	825,635	5.6
Educational Services (other)	12,431	.1
Religious Services	169,849	1.1
Medical and Health Services	1,195,164	8.1
Government	17,348	.1
Other (Service Organizations, Cemeteries, etc.)	154,523	1.0
Cultural, Entertainment, and Recreation Services	582,634	3.9
Resource Production and Extraction	--	--
Totals	14,834,072	100.0

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D. 1 - 1966-1974: NET EFFECT OF RESIDENT BIRTHS AND DEATHS

YEAR	BIRTHS	% OF CITY BIRTHS	DEATHS	% OF CITY DEATHS	NET EFFECT
1966	228	6.9	249	9.4	-21
1967	248	7.9	262	9.8	-14
1968	199	6.4	209	7.9	-10
1969	198	6.4	179	7.3	+19
1970	221	6.1	201	8.2	+20
1971	190	7.0	163	7.0	+27
1972	200	8.0	147	6.5	+53
1973	165	7.0	122	5.2	+43
1974	112	5.3	113	5.3	-1
TOTALS	1761	-	1645	-	+116
5 YR. AVERAGE 1970-74	177.6	6.7	149.2	6.4	+28.4

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D.2 - 1970-1974: SELECTED HEALTH INDICES: MORTALITY

Deaths by Cause	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	5 YEAR AVERAGE
Malignant Neoplasms	35	15	26	17	19	22.4
Lung	12	5	6	6	6	7.0
Breast	4	-	2	2	1	1.8
Cervix	-	-	1	-	-	0.2
Colon & Rectum	2	4	5	3	1	3.0
Diabetes Mellitus	6	4	1	6	2	3.8
Cadiovascular Disease	105	90	77	64	60	79.2
Heart Disease (All Forms)	80	69	60	50	50	61.8
Myocardial Infarction	30	23	20	20	20	22.6
Chronic Ischemic Heart Dis.	30	31	24	20	21	25.2
Cerebrovascular Disease	19	15	11	10	6	12.2
Respiratory Disease	13	11	16	5	6	10.2
Pneumonia/Influenza	10	7	13	3	3	7.2
Emphysema	1	-	-	1	2	0.8
Gastrointestinal Disease	12	11	4	8	7	8.4
Cirrhosis of the Liver	9	3	6	7	6	6.2
External Causes	16	16	7	10	13	12.4
Motor Vehicle Accidents	2	2	-	3	2	1.8

Total Deaths	201	163	147	122	113	149.2
Mean Age at Death	68.2	62.5	64.2	66.1	65.6	65.5
Infant Deaths	5	9	12	4	3	5.5
Number Age 65 and Over	141	94	91	79	67	47.2

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D.3 - 1970-1974: SELECTED HEALTH INDICIES: NATALITY

INDICIES	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	Five Year Average
LIVE BIRT S	221	190	200	165	112	177.6
NEWBORNS EIGHING BELOW 2500 GRAMS (5½ LBS.)	29	25	31	23	13	24.2
BIRTHS TO OTHERS UNDER AGE 20	61	56	63	65	41	57.2
BIRTHS TO OTHERS AGE 35 AND OVER	12	8	10	6	2	7.6
BIRTHS OF ARITY GREATER THAN 3	66	59	51	29	18	44.6

D.4 - 1977: ADMISSIONS AND RATE/THOUSAND TO PROVIDENCE MENTAL HEALTH CENTER

ADMISSIONS	RATE/THOUSAND	% OF NEIGHBORHOOD POPULATION
135	17.7	1.7

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E.1 - 1972, 1973: FAMILY COURT HEARINGS OTHER THAN WAYWARD/DELINQUENT (MOTOR VEHICLE VIOLATIONS EXCLUDED), MALE AND FEMALE CHILDREN

	1973		1972	
MALE CHILDREN	# CASES	% CITY CASES	# CASES	% CITY CASES
NEW	26	10.9	39	14.1
REPEATERS	48	15.0	45	16.6
VIOLATORS OF PROBATION	39	14.1	54	15.7

	1973		1972	
FEMALE CHILDREN	# CASES	% CITY CASES	# CASES	% CITY CASES
NEW	19	23.7	14	14.7
REPEATERS	11	23.4	8	18.6
VIOLATORS OF PROBATION	7	19.4	6	25.0

	1973		1972	
TOTAL CHILDREN	# CASES	% CITY CASES	# CASES	% CITY CASES
NEW	45	14.1	53	14.2
REPEATERS	59	16.1	53	17.0
VIOLATORS OF PROBATION	46	14.7	60	16.3

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E.2 - 1972, 1973: NON-JUDICIAL MOTOR VEHICLE VIOLATIONS ONLY

	1973		1972	
MALE CHILDREN	# CASES	% CITY CASES	# CASES	% CITY CASES
NEW	6	7.7	4	5.0
REPEATERS	3	20.0	1	14.3
VIOLATORS OF PROBATION	-	-	-	-

	1973		1972	
FEMALE CHILDREN	# CASES	% CITY CASES	# CASES	% CITY CASES
NEW	1	8.3	1	9.1
REPEATERS	-	-	-	-
VIOLATORS OF PROBATION	-	-	-	-

	1973		1972	
TOTAL CHILDREN	# CASES	% CITY CASES	# CASES	% CITY CASES
NEW	7	7.7	5	5.5
REPEATERS	3	18.75	1	12.5
VIOLATORS OF PROBATION	-	-	-	-

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E. 3 - 1972, 1973: NON-JUDICIAL - OTHER THAN WAYWARD/DELINQUENT
(MOTOR VEHICLE VIOLATIONS EXCLUDED)

MALE CHILDREN	1973 # CASES	 % CITY CASES	1972 # CASES	 % CITY CASES
NEW	2	5.4	-	-
REPEATERS	4	20.4	1	25.0
VIOLATORS OF PROBATION	-	-	-	-

FEMALE CHILDREN	1973 # CASES	 % CITY CASES	1972 # CASES	 % CITY CASES
NEW	4	18.1	-	-
REPEATERS	1	50.0	-	-
VIOLATORS OF PROBATION	-	-	-	-

TOTAL CHILDREN	1973 # CASES	 % CITY CASES	1972 # CASES	 % CITY CASES
NEW	6	10.1	-	-
REPEATERS	5	29.4	1	25.0
VIOLATORS OF PROBATION	-	-	-	-

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E.4 - 1972, 1973: HEARINGS - MOTOR VEHICLE VIOLATIONS ONLY

	1973		1972	
MALE CHILDREN	# CASES	% CITY CASES	# CASES	% CITY CASES
NEW	-	-	5	7.2
REPEATERS	2	3.3	6	11.7
VIOLATORS OF PROBATION	3	8.5	4	11.1

	1973		1972	
FEMALE CHILDREN	# CASES	% CITY CASES	# CASES	% CITY CASES
NEW	1	14.2	1	7.6
REPEATERS	1	33.3	-	-
VIOLATORS OF PROBATION	-	-	-	-

	1973		1972	
TOTAL CHILDREN	# CASES	% CITY CASES	# CASES	% CITY CASES
NEW	1	1.3	6	7.3
REPEATERS	3	4.8	6	11.3
VIOLATORS OF PROBATION	3	8.5	4	10.3

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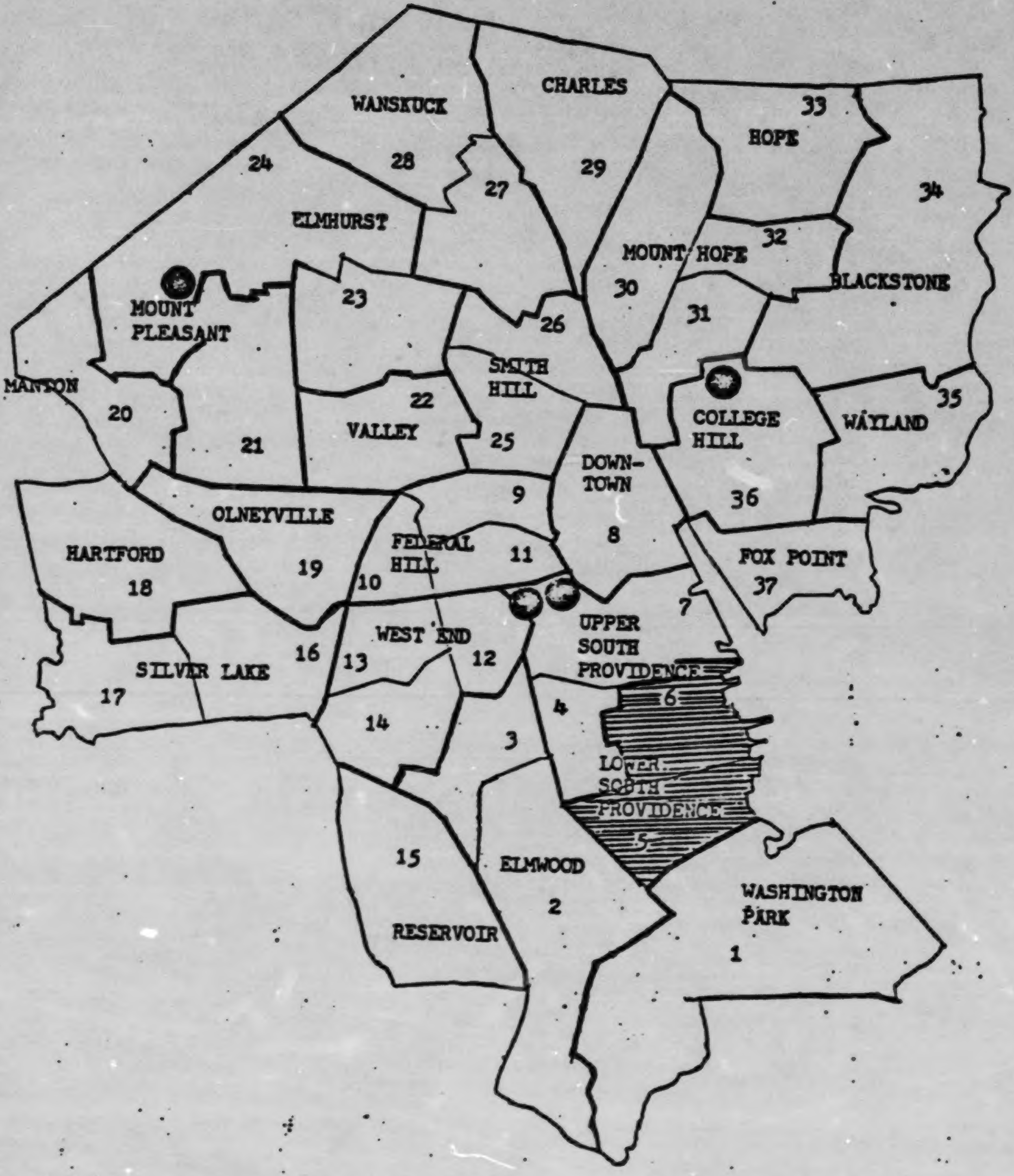
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The Lower South Providence neighborhood composed of census tracts 5 and 6, is located in the southeastern section of the City of Providence. It is bounded on the north by Upper South Providence, on the south by a spur of the old Penn Central Railroad, on the east by Providence Harbor, and on the west by Broad Street.

Throughout the 18th century, this area was used primarily as pasture land, with significant development coming in the early 1800's with the influx of a large number of Irish immigrants, many moving from Fox Point. By the end of the century a large proportion of the land had been built-up, mostly for residential use.

This neighborhood enjoyed several decades of social stability, until approximately half-way into the twentieth century. Beginning in the early 50's, Lower South Providence experienced an outflow of population, a shift which left vacant a large stock of decaying homes. This movement brought the influx of less affluent minorities from other areas, as well as absentee landlordism. The maintenance of the neighborhood was even further lessened.

Renewal efforts in past years have involved massive demolition, but little new construction. The building of Route 95 through the southern and eastern portion of the neighborhood also served as a divisive factor. Recently, however, improvement efforts have put more emphasis on the reconstruction of existing homes. Today, Lower South Providence is a mixed area, both physically and socially, striving for a level of stability.

In 1970, the population of Lower South Providence was 6828 with a racial and ethnic composition of 52.5% White, 45.8% Black and 1.8% Spanish speaking and other groups. Between the years 1960-1970, there was a net decrease of 5577 whites (61.7%) coupled with an increase of 1826(126.7%) non-whites. In 1970 the total foreign stock population for Lower South Providence numbered 1090. The four most frequent countries of origin were Ireland (16.9%), United Kingdom (15.9%), Canada (13.1%), and Italy (11.9%) English is the predominantly spoken language.

Between the years 1960 and 1970 the median income for all families rose from $3,898 to $6,604, an increase of 69.4%. The median income for all unrelated individuals was $2,745. In 1960, 1993 (92.7%) of the Lower South Providence male population fourteen years and older was employed in the civilian labor force as opposed to 1154 (92.0%) of the female population. By 1970, the percentage of males sixteen years and older had increased to 98.6% (1289) and 93.0% (986) for the female population. The unemployment rate for 1960 and 1970 was 7.6% and 6.9% respectively.

With an unemployment rate of 6.9% in Lower South Providence in 1970, 196 (11.4%) of the neighborhood's families were receiving public assistance as were 298 (1.6%) of all unrelated individuals. Between the years 1972 and 1977, the number of AFDC recipients changed from 638 to 550 which corresponds to 11.8% and 9.2% of the number of cases for the City of Providence.

The general housing indicators for Lower South Providence have shown variation between 1960 and 1970. The number of owner occupied units was 735 in 1960 and 551 in 1970. During this same timespan, the number of renter occupied units changed from 2518 to 1803 with a vacancy rate increase from 11.0% to 18.2%. In 1970, the median value of occupied units was $7,650 with the median rent $81.00. In 1975, the number of units in need of substantial rehabilitation in Lower South Providence totalled 2050 (82.4%). Between 1960 and 1970, the total number of rented units decreased from 2523 to 1814 with a change in rents from $53.00 to $81.00. In 1970 the breakdown of the age of housing as a percentage of the number of housing units appeared as follows: .5% built between 1969 and 1970; .3% 1965 to 1968; .3% 1960 to 1964; 3.8% 1950 to 1959; 21.7% 1940 to 1949; and 73.4% constructed prior to 1939. Also in 1970 there were 995 households with one automobile, 273 with two and 54 with three or more. One thousand-four households were listed as having none at all. The median years of education completed in 1970 by persons twenty-five years and older was 9.7 for the total population.

Currently there are 352 eighth through eleventh graders in Lower South Providence which is a part of the Central High School feeder pattern. Of these 352 students, there are 50 (14.2%) Whites 224 (63.6%) Blacks and 78 (22.1%) Portuguese and other. With an enrollment of 352, Lower South Providence ranks 4th in total high school enrollment. At the present time, there are 4 bus routes directly to Central/Classical, with none to Hope or Mount Pleasant.

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A.1 - 1960, 1975: TOTAL POPULATION BY 5 YEAR INTERVALS				
POPULATION	YEAR			
	1960	1965	1970	1975
NUMBER	10,479	8,684	6,828	4,963
% OF TOTAL POPULATION OF PROVIDENCE	5.2	4.8	3.8	3.0

A.2 - 1960, 1970: POPULATION BY WHITE AND NON-WHITE		
POPULATION	YEAR	
	1960	1970
WHITE	9,037	3,560
NON-WHITE	1,442	3,268

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A.3 - 1960, 1970 CENSUS: POPULATION BY RACE AND SPANISH LANGUAGE

YEAR	TOTAL POPULATION	WHITE		NON-WHITE		BLACK		SPANISH LANGUAGE	
		#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%
1960	13975	11921	85.3	2054	14.7	1858	13.3	N/A	N/A
1970	8138	4860	59.7	3278	40.3	3081	37.9	167	2.1
1960-1970 Increase (+) Decrease (-)		-7061	-59.2	+1224	+59.6	+1223	+65.8	N/A	N/A
% Change in Proportional Distribution		-25.6		+25.6		+24.6		N/A	

A.4 - 1970 CENSUS: FERTILITY RATIO BY POPULATION

Total Population	134.9

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A.5 - 1970 CENSUS: PERSONS 25 YEARS OF AGE AND OVER BY RACE AND YEARS OF SCHOOL COMPLETED

LEVEL AND YEARS OF SCHOOL COMPLETED	TOTAL POPULATION		WHITE		BLACK		OTHER	
	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%
NO SCHOOL YEAR COMPLETED	52	1.5	36	1.6	16	1.3	-	-
ELEMENTARY: 1-4 YEARS	181	5.1	89	4.0	72	5.8	20	24.1
5-7 YEARS	733	20.7	553	24.7	180	14.5	20	24.1
8 YEARS	538	15.2	334	14.9	165	13.3	39	47.0
HIGH SCHOOL: 1-3 YEARS	1107	31.2	750	33.5	353	28.4	4	4.8
4 YEARS	703	19.8	349	15.6	354	28.5	-	-
COLLEGE: 1-3 YEARS	161	4.5	87	3.9	74	6.0	-	-
4 YEARS OR MORE	70	2.0	43	1.9	27	2.2	-	-
TOTAL	3545	100.0	2241	100.0	1241	100.0	83	100.0

A.6 - 1970 CENSUS: MEDIAN SCHOOL YEARS COMPLETED

TOTAL POPULATION
9.7

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A. 7 - 1970 CENSUS: NATIVITY AND PARENTAGE

NATIVITY	TOTAL POPULATION	
	#	%
NATIVE OF NATIVE PARENT	5792	84.2
FOREIGN STOCK	1090	15.8
TOTAL	6882	100.0

A. 8 - 1970 CENSUS: MOST FREQUENT COUNTRY OF ORIGIN OF FOREIGN STOCK

COUNTRY OF ORIGIN	# OF PERSONS	% FOREIGN STOCK POPULATION
IRELAND	184	16.9
UNITED KINGDOM	173	15.9
CANADA	143	13.1
ITALY	130	11.9

A.9 - 1970 CENSUS: SPANISH POPULATION INDICATORS

INDICATORS	# OF PERSONS	% OF TOTAL POPULATION
SPANISH LANGUAGE	127	1.9

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B.1 - 1970 CENSUS: NUMBER OF EMPLOYED PERSONS 16 YEARS OLD AND OVER BY OCCUPATION

OCCUPATION	1960[1] TOTAL PERSONS EMPLOYED #	%	1970 TOTAL PERSONS EMPLOYED #	%	WHITE #	%	BLACK #	%	SPANISH #	%
Professional, Technical and Kindred Workers	89	3.2	158	6.9	98	8.9	61	7.0	-	-
Managers and Administrators Except Farm	103	3.7	22	1.0	18	1.6	4	0.4	-	-
Sales Workers	122	4.4	95	4.2	69	6.3	26	3.0	-	-
Clerical and Kindred Workers	375	13.4	282	12.4	169	15.4	110	12.7	7	17.1
Craftsmen, Foremen and Kindred Workers	496	17.8	237	10.4	196	17.8	41	4.7	-	-
Operatives, Except Transport	1074	38.5	741	32.6	239	21.7	195	22.5	24	58.5
Transport Equipment Operatives	4	0.1	117	5.1	41	3.7	76	8.8	-	-
Laborers, Except Farm	127	4.5	152	6.7	75	6.8	77	8.9	-	-
Farmers and Farm Managers	-	-	24	1.0	-	-	24	2.8	-	-
Farm Laborers and Foremen										
Service Workers, Except Private Household	344	12.3	384	16.7	167	15.2	217	25.0	10	24.4
Private Household Workers	53	1.9	62	2.7	26	2.4	36	4.1	-	-
TOTAL	2787	100.0	2274	100.0	1098		867		41	100.0

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[1] 1960 data listed for persons 14 years old and over.

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B.2 - 1960 CENSUS: EMPLOYMENT STATUS, MALES 14 YEARS AND OVER (CIVILIAN LABOR FORCE)

STATUS	TOTAL	
	#	%
EMPLOYED	1993	92.7
UNEMPLOYED	157	7.3

B.3 - 1960 CENSUS: EMPLOYMENT STATUS, FEMALES 14 YEARS AND OVER (CIVILIAN LABOR FORCE)

STATUS	TOTAL	
	#	%
EMPLOYED	1154	92.0
UNEMPLOYED	100	8.0

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B.4 - 1970 CENSUS: EMPLOYMENT STATUS BY RACE OF MALES 16 YEARS AND OVER (CIVILIAN LABOR FORCE)

STATUS	POPULATION		WHITE		BLACK	
	#	%	#	%	#	%
EMPLOYED	1289	93.1	817	92.5	465	95.9
UNEMPLOYED	96	6.9	66	7.5	20	4.1
TOTAL	1385	100.0	883	100.0	485	100.0

B.5 - 1970 CENSUS: EMPLOYMENT STATUS BY RACE OF FEMALES 16 YEARS AND OVER (CIVILIAN LABOR FORCE)

STATUS	POPULATION		WHITE		BLACK	
	#	%	#	%	#	%
EMPLOYED	986	93.0	584	93.7	402	92.0
UNEMPLOYED	74	7.0	39	6.3	35	8.0
TOTAL	1060	100.0	623	100.0	437	100.0

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B.6 - 1960, 1970 CENSUS: MEDIAN INCOME

6.1 1960 MEDIAN INCOME [1]

YEAR	ALL FAMILIES AND UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS
1960	$3253

6.2 1970 MEDIAN INCOME

YEAR	ALL FAMILIES	ALL UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS
1970	$6,604	$2,745

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1) 1960 Median Income Data is not disaggregated by families and unrelated individuals.

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B.7 - 1970 CENSUS: PERSONS BELOW POVERTY LEVEL

TOTAL POPULATION		
# PERSONS	% OF NEIGHBORHOOD POPULATION	% OF TOTAL POPULATION OF PROVIDENCE BELOW POVERTY LEVEL
2052	30.1	6.4

B.8 - 1970 CENSUS: NUMBER OF RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 IN FAMILIES BELOW POVERTY LEVEL BY RACE

TOTAL POPULATION			WHITE		BLACK		OTHER	
# PERSONS	% OF NEIGHBORHOOD POPULATION BELOW 18 YEARS	% OF RELATED CHILDREN IN PROVIDENCE UNDER 18 YEARS, BELOW POVERTY LEVEL	#	%	#	%	#	%
1074	39.7	9.7	210	19.6	854	79.5	10	0.9

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B.9 - 1972-1977: DECEMBER AFDC CASES

YEAR	NUMBER OF CASES	% OF CASES IN PROVIDENCE
1972	638	11.8
1973	629	11.6
1974	617	11.1
1975	562	9.8
1976	563	9.7
1977	550	9.2

B. 10 - 1970 CENSUS: FAMILIES RECEIVING PUBLIC ASSISTANCE

# FAMILIES RECEIVING PUBLIC ASSISTANCE	% OF ALL FAMILIES IN NEIGHBORHOOD	% OF FAMILIES IN PROVIDENCE RECEIVING PUBLIC ASSISTANCE
196	9.3	11.4

B.11 - 1970 CENSUS: UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS RECEIVING PUBLIC ASSISTANCE

# PERSONS	% OF UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS IN NEIGHBORHOOD	% OF TOTAL UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS RECEIVING PUBLIC ASSISTANCE IN PROVIDENCE
298	42.0	1.6

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C.1 - 1975: TOTAL HOUSING, VACANCY RATE, AND UNITS IN NEED OF SUBSTANTIAL REHABILITATION

Characteristics	Number
Total Housing Units	2489
Vacancy Rate	17.4%
% of Units in Need of Substantial Rehabilitation*	82.4

* The need for "substantial rehabilitation" was determined by the Department of Planning and Urban Development based on a survey which considered structural factors including: Foundation, Exterior Shell, Porches and Stairs, Gutters and Down Spouts, Doors and Windows, Roof and Chimney.

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C.2 - 1970 CENSUS: UNITS IN STRUCTURE AS A PERCENTAGE OF NEIGHBORHOOD'S HOUSING STRUCTURES

	1970	
NUMBER OF UNITS IN STRUCTURE	#	%
1 (INCLUDES MOBILE HOME/ TRAILER)	352	12.4
2	648	22.8
3 AND 4	1,036	36.4
5 TO 49	802	28.2
50 AND OVER	9	0.3
TOTAL YEAR-ROUND HOUSING UNITS	2,847	100.0

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C.3 - 1970 CENSUS: AGE OF NEIGHBORHOOD HOUSING AS A PERCENTAGE OF TOTAL NEIGHBORHOOD HOUSING UNITS

AGE OF HOUSING	#	%
1969 TO MARCH 1970	14	0.5
1965 TO 1968	9	0.3
1960 TO 1964	9	0.3
1950 TO 1959	109	3.8
1940 TO 1949	617	21.7
1939 AND EARLIER	2,089	73.4
TOTAL	2,847	100.0

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C.4 - 1960, 1970 CENSUS: HOUSING UNITS BY OWNER AND RENTER

	1960	1970	Net Change 1960-1970
Total Housing Units	3599	2828	- 771
Owner Occupied	735	511	+ 224
Renter Occupied	2518	1803	- 715
Vacancy Rate	11.0%	18.2%	+ 65.5%

C.5 - 1970 CENSUS: MEDIAN VALUE OR RENT OF OCCUPIED UNITS

STATUS	1970
Median Value	$7,650
Median Rent	$51

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C.6 - 1960, 1970 CENSUS: RENTER-OCCUPIED AS A PERCENTAGE OF NEIGHBORHOOD'S RENTED UNITS

	1960		1970	
	#	%	#	%
Total - Rented Units	2523	100.0	1814	100.0
Less Than $40	574	29.9	53	2.9
$40 to $59	970	38.4	435	23.9
$60 to $79	707	28.0	420	23.1
$80 to $99	183	7.2	406	22.4
$100 to $149	32	1.2	440	24.2
$150 and Over	57	2.3	42	2.3
No Cash Rents	-	-	18	9.9
Median Rent	$53	-	$81	-

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C. 7 - 1970 CENSUS: VALUE OF OWNER OCCUPIED HOUSING BY HEAD OF HOUSEHOLD

SINGLE FAMILY	TOTAL OWNER OCCUPIED UNITS #	TOTAL OWNER OCCUPIED UNITS %
Less Than $5,000	41	19.2
$5,000 - $7,499	58	27.1
$7,500 - $9,999	45	21.0
$10,000 - $14,999	55	25.7
$15,000 - $19,999	11	5.1
$20,000 - $24,999	3	1.4
$25,000 - $34,999	1	0.5
$35,000 - $49,999	0	.0
$50,000 and over	0	.0
TOTAL	214	100.0

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C.8 - 1960, 1970 CENSUS: DENSITY OF RESIDENCE WITHIN HOUSING UNIT

	1960		1970	
	#	%	#	%
TOTAL NUMBER OF OCCUPIED UNITS	3253	100.0	2314	100.0
ROOMS WITH 1.00 PERSONS OR LESS	2855	87.8	2068	89.4
ROOMS WITH 1.01 PERSONS OR MORE	398	12.2	246	10.6
MEDIAN PEESONS PER OCCUPIED UNIT	2.7	-	2.4	-

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C. 9 - 1970 CENSUS: NUMBER OF AUTOMOBILES AVAILABLE BY HOUSEHOLD

Automobiles	# Households
One	995
Two	273
Three or More	54
None	1004

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C. 10 1975 DISTRIBUTION OF LAND USE BY NEIGHBORHOOD

LAND USE CATEGORY	LAND AREA IN SQ. FT.	% OF TOTAL AREA
Undeveloped Land and Water Areas	1,856,424	14.1
Residential Uses (Total)	4,656,798	35.4
One Family	1,159,937	8.8
Two Family	1,116,354	8.5
Three Family	778,966	5.9
Multi-Family	1,334,163	10.1
Other	267,378	2.0
Manufacturing	1,473,307	11.2
Transportation, Communication and Utilities	1,994,355	15.2
Trade (Total)	1,206,836	9.2
Wholesale	457,321	3.5
Retail	749,515	5.7
General Services	1,350,363	10.2
Institutional and Governmental Services (Total)	381,539	2.9
Education (Nursery, Primary and Secondary)	191,308	1.5
Educational Services (other)	--	--
Religious Services	69,062	.5
Medical and Health Services	--	--
Government	--	--
Other (Service Organizations, Cemeteries, etc.)	121,169	.9
Cultural, Entertainment, and Recreation Services	221,544	1.7
Resource Production and Extraction	--	--
Totals	13,141,166	100.0

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D. 1 - 1966-1974: NET EFFECT OF RESIDENT BIRTHS AND DEATHS

YEAR	BIRTHS	% OF CITY BIRTHS	DEATHS	% OF CITY DEATHS	NET EFFECT
1966	252	7.7	133	5.0	+119
1967	217	6.9	148	5.6	+69
1968	209	6.7	133	5.0	+76
1969	193	6.2	105	4.3	+88
1970	204	6.5	100	4.1	+104
1971	168	6.0	90	4.0	+78
1972	171	6.8	71	3.1	+100
1973	159	6.7	84	3.5	+75
1974	129	6.1	60	2.8	+69
TOTALS	1702	-	924	-	+778
5 YR. AVERAGE 1970-74	166.4	6.4	81	3.5	+85.4

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D.2 - 1970-1974: SELECTED HEALTH INDICES: MORTALITY

	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	5 YEAR AVERAGE
eaths by Cause						
Malignant Neoplasms	19	18	17	10	14	15.6
Lung	2	3	4	-	2	2.2
Breast	3	1	3	2	-	1.8
Cervix	1	-	-	1	-	0.4
Colon & Rectum	1	6	2	2	3	2.8
Diabetes Mellitus	4	7	2	3	2	3.6
Cadiovascular Disease	55	40	32	46	24	39.4
Heart Disease (All Forms)	44	31	26	34	18	30.6
Myocardial Infarction	16	10	17	14	11	13.6
Chronic Ischemic Heart Dis.	20	16	7	15	5	12.6
Cerebrovascular Disease	9	5	4	8	6	6.4
Respiratory Disease	3	5	5	6	2	4.2
Pneumonia/Influenza	1	3	4	3	1	2.4
Emphysema	-	-	-	-	-	-
Gastrointestinal Disease	4	2	2	2	6	3.2
Cirrhosis of the Liver	-	-	-	1	5	1.2
External Causes	6	5	5	11	5	6.4
Motor Vehicle Accidents	3		2	3		1.6

tal Deaths	100	90	71	84	60	81.0
Mean Age at Death	66.3	61.8	63.7	61.8	60.7	63.1
Infant Deaths	7	9	5	4	5	3.0
Number Age 65 and Over	70	61	45	50	33	25.9

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D.3 - 1970-1974: SELECTED HEALTH INDICIES: NATALITY

INDICIES	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	Five Year Average
LIVE BIRTHS	204	168	171	159	129	166.2
NEWBORNS WEIGHING BELOW 2500 GRAMS (5½ LBS.)	32	26	27	20	25	26.0
BIRTHS TO MOTHERS UNDER AGE 20	66	60	60	42	54	56.4
BIRTHS TO MOTHERS AGE 35 AND OVER	11	15	12	10	6	10.8
BIRTHS OF PARITY GREATER THAN 3	61	61	52	31	30	47.0

D.4 - 1977: ADMISSIONS AND RATE/THOUSAND TO PROVIDENCE MENTAL HEALTH CENTER

ADMISSIONS	RATE/THOUSAND	% OF NEIGHBORHOOD POPULATION
61	9.1	0.9

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E.1 - 1972, 1973: FAMILY COURT HEARINGS OTHER THAN WAYWARD/DELINQUENT (MOTOR VEHICLE VIOLATIONS EXCLUDED), MALE AND FEMALE CHILDREN

MALE CHILDREN	1973 # CASES	 % CITY CASES	1972 # CASES	 % CITY CASES
NEW	24	10.1	28	10.1
REPEATERS	49	15.4	46	17.0
VIOLATORS OF PROBATION	56	20.3	42	12.2

	1973		1972	
FEMALE CHILDREN	# CASES	% CITY CASES	# CASES	% CITY CASES
NEW	7	8.8	13	13.7
REPEATERS	12	25.5	9	20.9
VIOLATORS OF PROBATION	3	8.3	3	12.5

	1973		1972	
TOTAL CHILDREN	# CASES	% CITY CASES	# CASES	% CITY CASES
NEW	31	9.7	41	11.0
REPEATERS	61	16.6	55	17.6
VIOLATORS OF PROBATION	59	18.9	45	12.2

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E.2 - 1972, 1973: NON-JUDICIAL MOTOR VEHICLE VIOLATIONS ONLY

	1973		1972	
MALE CHILDREN	# CASES	% CITY CASES	# CASES	% CITY CASES
NEW	4	5.1	5	1.25
REPEATERS	-	-	1	14.3
VIOLATORS OF PROBATION	-	-	-	-

	1973		1972	
FEMALE CHILDREN	# CASES	% CITY CASES	# CASES	% CITY CASES
NEW	1	8.3	1	9.1
REPEATERS	-	-	-	-
VIOLATORS OF PROBATION	-	-	-	-

	1973		1972	
TOTAL CHILDREN	# CASES	% CITY CASES	# CASES	% CITY CASES
NEW	5	5.5	6	6.6
REPEATERS	-	-	1	12.5
VIOLATORS OF PROBATION	-	-	-	-

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E.3 - 1972, 1973: NON-JUDICIAL - OTHER THAN WAYWARD/DELINQUENT (MOTOR VEHICLE VIOLATIONS EXCLUDED)

	1973		1972	
MALE CHILDREN	# CASES	% CITY CASES	# CASES	% CITY CASES
NEW	2	5.4	-	-
REPEATERS	1	6.6	1	25.0
VIOLATORS OF PROBATION	-	-	-	-

	1973		1972	
FEMALE CHILDREN	# CASES	% CITY CASES	# CASES	% CITY CASES
NEW	4	18.1	-	-
REPEATERS	-	-	-	-
VIOLATORS OF PROBATION	-	-	-	-

	1973		1972	
TOTAL CHILDREN	# CASES	% CITY CASES	# CASES	% CITY CASES
NEW	6	10.1	-	-
REPEATERS	1	50.0	1	25.0
VIOLATORS OF PROBATION	-	-	-	-

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E.4 - 1972, 1973: HEARINGS - MOTOR VEHICLE VIOLATIONS ONLY

	1973		1972	
MALE CHILDREN	# CASES	% CITY CASES	# CASES	% CITY CASES
NEW	5	7.6	6	8.6
REPEATERS	3	5.0	-	-
VIOLATORS OF PROBATION	1	2.8	3	8.3

	1973		1972	
FEMALE CHILDREN	# CASES	% CITY CASES	# CASES	% CITY CASES
NEW	2	28.5	2	15.3
REPEATERS	1	33.3	-	-
VIOLATORS OF PROBATION	-	-	-	-

	1973		1972	
TOTAL CHILDREN	# CASES	% CITY CASES	# CASES	% CITY CASES
NEW	7	9.7	8	9.7
REPEATERS	4	6.4	-	-
VIOLATORS OF PROBATION	1	2.8	5	12.8

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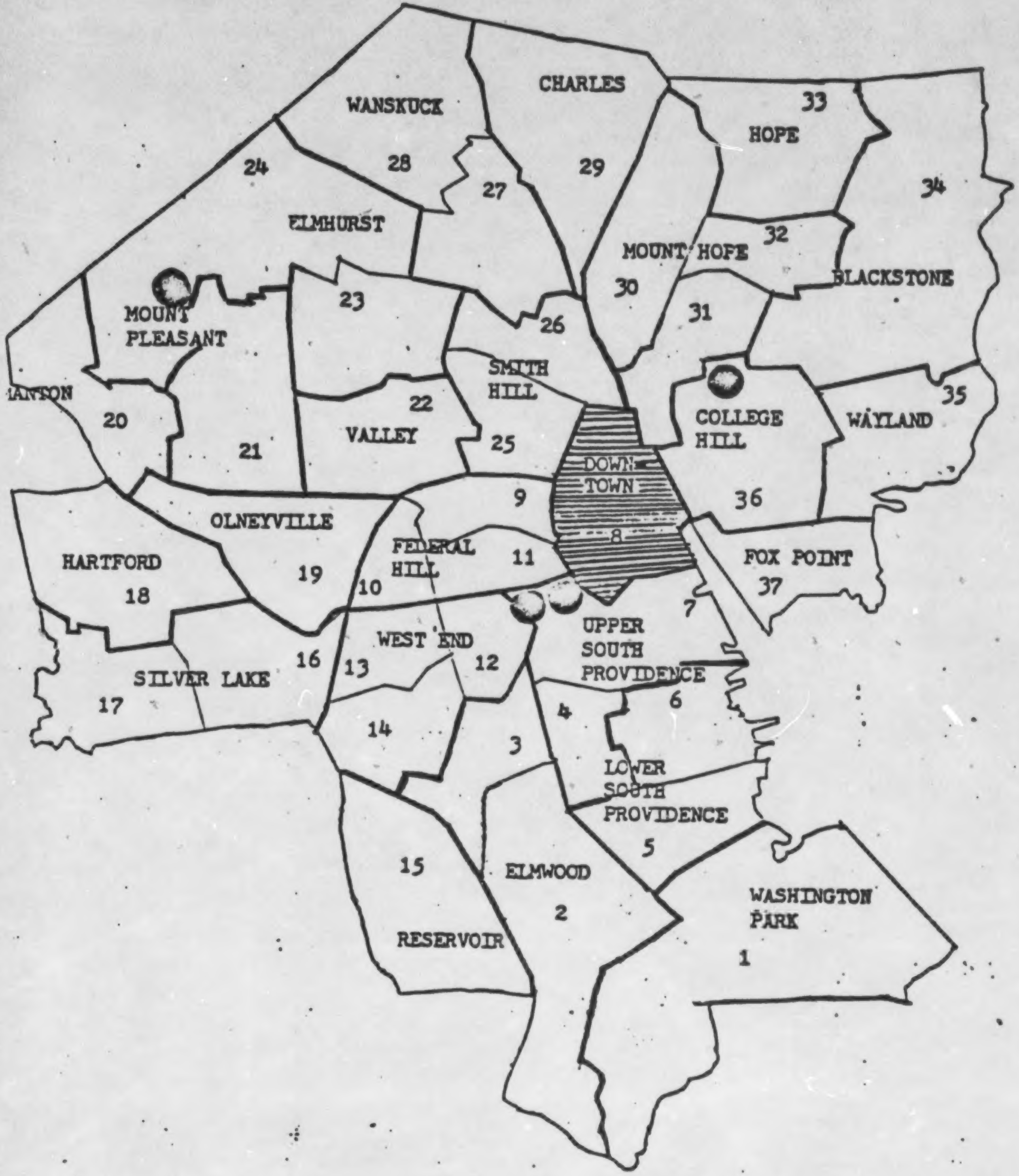
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NEIGHBORHOOD PROFILES

Overview

CPAD Urban Field Center, RICES, University of Rhode Island, provides planning assistance to community groups and city and state agencies in Rhode Island. In The fall of 1977, the Providence School Department contracted with the Center for planning and management for collaboration on the Neutral Site Planning Project, funded by an Emergency School Aid Act (ESAA) grant from the U. S. Office of Education.

The Emergency School Aid Act (ESAA) makes funds available to local education agencies who are involved in efforts to eliminate, reduce, or prevent minority group isolation. Specifically, neutral site planning grants are used to plan for schools that are located so as to be accessible to substantial numbers of students from different racial and ethnic backgrounds. The grants also are used to develop either special curriculum or teaching methodologies not generally offered to students of the same age or grade level in the local educational agency. For the calendar year 1977-78, neutral site planning grants were awarded to four public school systems in the United States by the Office of Education.

The fundamental concept in the location of a neutral school is the assumption that a school's site is one of the significant factors in its success. Location is defined in relation to the racial identity of the neighborhood and area in which the school is placed. Research and experience have demonstrated that schools in racially identifiable communities often have difficulty in enrolling students of the other racial identities. For minority student isolation to be reduced, eliminated or prevented, a school system must identify the location of minority and non-minority students in the district, and select a school site that is accessible to both groups.

This federal grant enabled the Providence School Department and the University of Rhode Island to develop a planning process to meet ESAA's mandate. In particular, the Neutral Site Planning Staff of the University of Rhode Island had responsibility for two objectives of this planning process:

- To conduct studies and surveys to determine the location of a Neutral Site School and;
- To provide technical planning assistance to the Providence School Department in the development of special curriculum options.

The major activities undertaken in order to meet the first objectives were:

- To inventory the present school sites and assess them through a series of significant criteria;
- To identify the location of potential students of the neutral site schools;
- To determine the accessibility of the school sites to the neighborhoods in which minority and non-minority students reside and;
- To describe the characteristics of Providence neighborhoods in which minority and non-minority students reside.

The information developed to meet the first three major activities are found in The Final Report: Volume I: The Neutral Site Plan. The supporting documentation for the fourth activity is the focus of this series of neighborhood profiles.

What are Neighborhood Profiles?

Neighborhood profiles are a series of tables and charts which include statistical information on twenty-four individual neighborhoods in Providence. The information includes demographic, economic, housing, and social service and crime data. Educational demographic characteristics and transportation access for potential neutral site magnet students are presented, although discussed in greater depth in Volume I. Specific indicators from each data category were selected on the basis of an assessment of the perceived needs for educational programming by Rhode Island planners, educators, and community groups; availability of secondary data sources; and experience with data collection and analysis activities in Rhode Island. The listing of indicators is extensive, and includes such data as population by race and Spanish language; median school years completed; employment status; density of residence within housing unit; distribution of land use; selected health indices; and crime data. Each series of tables and charts is introduced by a summary of key indicators and a map of the neighborhood.

There are twenty-four neighborhoods for which profiles have been prepared. The neighborhood designations are modifications of the Providence Department of Planning and Urban Development (PUD) boundaries. Where modifications occur, it is because the Neutral Site Planning Project staff collected secondary data by census tract and defined neighborhoods accordingly. Table One lists the neighborhoods included in this series.

The neighborhood profiles were developed in order to provide the educational community with an understanding of the student's environment "outside the classroom". It is only with planning from a neighborhood or city-wide perspective that responsive programs and schools can be

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The Downtown neighborhood, composed of census tract 8, is located in the central portion of Providence. Bounded on the north by Smith Street, on the south by I-195, on the east by the Providence River, and on the west by I-95. Downtown has traditionally contained the city's financial, commercial, and entertainment districts.

The flat, easily buildable land on the west side of the Providence River was highly attractive for development, especially when compared to the hilly east side. This area has experienced many changes through the years, however, since the 1880's the city's principal retail district has been solidly entrenched here on Westminster Street. The city's financial district is located off the eastern end of Westminster, with the entertainment district off to the west.

In the late 1960's a pedestrial mall was established along Westminster Street. This was an attempt to make the central business district more like the suburban shopping center. Despite this move to make the area more attractive, increased problems in the district brought along the pull-out of major stores, and the closure of the Biltmore Hotel.

Recent years, however, have brought new life in this neighborhood. The Providence Civic Center has served to revitalize the northern edge, and the present refurnishing of Westminster Mall represents a new optimism for the area. The Biltmore Hotel is being prepared for re-opening, and a new Federal Office Building is in the planning stage.

The Downtown neighborhood lacks accommodations for a resident population, and this was reflected by the 1970 count of only 1602 persons. This population had a racial and ethnic composition of 92.9% White, 5.4% Black and 1.7% Spanish speaking. Between the years of 1960-1970, there was a net increase of 656 whites (76.9%) coupled with an increase of 37 (50.0%) non-whites.

In 1970 the total foreign stock population for Downtown numbered 618. The four most frequent countries of origin were Canada (16.2%), Italy (14.8%), USSR (14.7%), and United Kingdom (14.1%). English is the predominantly spoken language.

In 1970 the median income for all families was $8.900.00. In the same year, the median income for all unrelated individuals was $2,137.00. In 1960, 282 ((89.8%) of the Downtown male population fourteen years and older was employed in the civilian labor force as opposed to 173 (94.0%) of the female population. The unemployment rates for 1960 and 1970 were 8.05% and 2.1% respectively.

In the Downtown neighborhood none of the families were receiving public assistance in 1970. Two hundred sixty-three or 31.0% of all unrelated individuals were receiving public assistance in 1970. Between the years 1972 and 1977, the number of AFDC recipients changed from 6 to 15 which corresponds to 0.1% and 0.3% of the number of cases for the City of Providence.

The general housing indicators for the Downtown area have shown variation between 1960 and 1970. The number of owner occupied units was 13 in 1960, and 59 in 1970. During this same timespan, the number of renter occupied units changed from 662 to 790 with a decrease in the vacancy rate from 21.2% to 4.1%. In 1970, the median value of occupied units was $14,100.00 and the median rent was $80.00. In 1975, the number of units in need of substantial rehabilitation totalled 11, or 1.1%. Between 1960 and 1970, the total number of rented units increased from 624 to 789 with the change in rents from $40.00 to $80.00. In 1970 the breakdown of the age of housing as a percentage of the number of housing units appeared as follows: 0% built between 1969 and 1970; 38.3% 1965 to 1968; 26.2% 1960 to 1964; 2.5% 1950 to 1959; 0.6% 1940 to 1949; and 32.5% constructed prior to 1939. Also in 1970 there were 349 households with one automobile, 58 with two and 9 with three or more. Four hundred and four households were listed as having none at all. The median years of education completed in 1970 by persons twenty-five years and older was 11.4 % for the total population.

Currently there are 18 eighth through eleventh graders in the Downtown neighborhood, which is a part of the Central High School feeder pattern. Of these 18 students, there are 5 (27.8%) Whites, 10 (55.6%) Blacks and 3 (16.7%) Hispanic. With an enrollment of 18, Downtown ranks 24th in total high school student enrollment. At the present time, there are 20 bus routes directly to Central/Classical, 4 to Mount Pleasant and 2 to Hope.

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A.1 - 1960, 1975: TOTAL POPULATION BY 5 YEAR INTERVALS

POPULATION	YEAR			
	1960	1965	1970	1975
NUMBER	915	N/A	1,602	2,171
% OF TOTAL POPULATION OF PROVIDENCE	0.5	N/A	0.9	1.3

A.2 - 1960, 1970: POPULATION BY WHITE AND NON-WHITE

POPULATION	YEAR	
	1960	1970
WHITE	853	1,509
NON-WHITE	62	93

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A.3 - 1960, 1970 CENSUS: POPULATION BY RACE AND SPANISH LANGUAGE

YEAR	TOTAL POPULATION	WHITE		NON-WHITE		BLACK		SPANISH LANGUAGE	
		#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%
1960	915	853	93.2	62	6.8	56	6.1	N/A	N/A
1970	1602	1509	94.2	93	5.8	82	5.1	N/A	N/A
1960-1970 Increase (+) Decrease (-)		+656	+76.9	+31	50.0	+26	+46.4	N/A	N/A
% Change in Proportional Distribution		+1.0		-1.0		-1.0		N/A	

A.4 - 1970 CENSUS: FERTILITY RATIO BY POPULATION

Total Population	34.3

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A.5 - 1970 CENSUS: PERSONS 25 YEARS OF AGE AND OVER BY RACE AND YEARS OF SCHOOL COMPLETED

LEVEL AND YEARS OF SCHOOL COMPLETED	TOTAL POPULATION		WHITE		BLACK		OTHER	
	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%
NO SCHOOL YEAR COMPLETED	12	1.0	12	1.0	-	-	-	-
ELEMENTARY: 1-4 YEARS	26	2.1	26	2.2	-	-	-	-
5-7 YEARS	165	13.8	165	14.2	-	-	-	-
8 YEARS	195	16.4	185	15.9	5	26.3	5	45.5
HIGH SCHOOL: 1-3 YEARS	245	20.6	235	20.2	10	52.6	-	-
4 YEARS	264	22.2	264	22.7	-	-	-	-
COLLEGE: 1-3 YEARS	124	10.4	114	9.8	4	21.1	6	54.5
4 YEARS OR MORE	160	13.4	160	13.8	-	-	-	-
TOTAL	1191	100.0	1161	100.0	19	100.0	11	100.0

A.6 - 1970 CENSUS: MEDIAN SCHOOL YEARS COMPLETED

TOTAL POPULATION
11.4

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A.7 - 1970 CENSUS: NATIVITY AND PARENTAGE

NATIVITY	TOTAL POPULATION	
	#	%
NATIVE OF NATIVE PARENT	894	59.1
FOREIGN STOCK	618	40.9
TOTAL	1512	100.0

A.8 - 1970 CENSUS: MOST FREQUENT COUNTRY OF ORIGIN OF FOREIGN STOCK

COUNTRY OF ORIGIN	# OF PERSONS	% FOREIGN STOCK POPULATION
CANADA	100	16.2
ITALY	92	14.8
USSR	91	14.7
UNITED KINGDOM	87	14.1

A.9 - 1970 CENSUS: SPANISH POPULATION INDICATORS

INDICATORS	# OF PERSONS	% OF TOTAL POPULATION
SPANISH LANGUAGE	N/A	N/A

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B.1 - 1970 CENSUS: NUMBER OF EMPLOYED PERSONS 16 YEARS OLD AND OVER BY OCCUPATION

	1960[1]		1970							
OCCUPATION	TOTAL PERSONS EMPLOYED		TOTAL PERSONS EMPLOYED		WHITE		BLACK		SPANISH	
	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%
Professional, Technical and Kindred Workers	67	19.9	113	17.4	108	17.3	5	26.3	-	-
Managers and Administrators Except Farm	26	7.7	50	7.7	50	8.0	-	-	-	-
Sales Workers	29	8.6	57	8.8	57	9.1	-	-	-	-
Clerical and Kindred Workers	45	13.3	134	20.7	134	21.5	-	-	-	-
Craftsmen, Foremen and Kindred Workers	17	5.0	73	11.3	73	11.7	-	-	-	-
Operatives, Except Transport	66	19.6	50	7.7	50	8.0	-	-	-	-
Transport Equipment Operatives	-	-	43	6.6	43	6.9	-	-	-	-
Laborers, Except Farm	23	6.8	10	1.5	10	1.6	-	-	-	-
Farmers and Farm Managers	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Farm Laborers and Foremen										
Service Workers, Except Private Household	41	12.2	93	14.3	79	12.7	9	47.3	-	-
Private Household Workers	23	6.8	23	3.5	18	2.9	5	26.3	-	-
TOTAL	337	100.0	646	100.0	622		19		-	-

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[1] 1960 data listed for persons 14 years old and over.

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B.2 - 1960 CENSUS: EMPLOYMENT STATUS, MALES 14 YEARS AND OVER (CIVILIAN LABOR FORCE)

STATUS	TOTAL	
	#	%
EMPLOYED	282	89.8
UNEMPLOYED	32	10.1

B.3 - 1960 CENSUS: EMPLOYMENT STATUS, FEMALES 14 YEARS AND OVER (CIVILIAN LABOR FORCE)

STATUS	TOTAL	
	#	%
EMPLOYED	173	94.0
UNEMPLOYED	11	6.0

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B.4 - 1970 CENSUS: EMPLOYMENT STATUS BY RACE OF MALES 16 YEARS AND OVER (CIVILIAN LABOR FORCE)

STATUS	POPULATION		WHITE		BLACK	
	#	%	#	%	#	%
EMPLOYED	383	98.4	369	98.4	14	100.0
UNEMPLOYED	6	1.6	6	1.6	0	0.0
TOTAL	389	100.0	379	100.0	14	100.0

B.5 - 1970 CENSUS: EMPLOYMENT STATUS BY RACE OF FEMALES 16 YEARS AND OVER (CIVILIAN LABOR FORCE)

STATUS	POPULATION		WHITE		BLACK	
	#	%	#	%	#	%
EMPLOYED	263	97.4	253	97.3	5	100.0
UNEMPLOYED	7	2.6	7	2.7	0	0.0
TOTAL	270	100.0	260	100.0	5	100.0

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B.6 - 1960, 1970 CENSUS: MEDIAN INCOME

6.1 1960 MEDIAN INCOME [1]

YEAR	ALL FAMILIES AND UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS
1960	$1596

6.2 1970 MEDIAN INCOME

YEAR	ALL FAMILIES	ALL UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS
1970	$8,900	$2,137

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1) 1960 Median Income Data is not disaggregated by families and unrelated individuals.

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B.7 - 1970 CENSUS: PERSONS BELOW POVERTY LEVEL

TOTAL POPULATION		
# PERSONS	% OF NEIGHBORHOOD POPULATION	% OF TOTAL POPULATION OF PROVIDENCE BELOW POVERTY LEVEL
352	22.0	1.1

B.8 - 1970 CENSUS: NUMBER OF RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 IN FAMILIES BELOW POVERTY LEVEL BY RACE

TOTAL POPULATION			WHITE		BLACK		OTHER	
# PERSONS	% OF NEIGHBORHOOD POPULATION BELOW 18 YEARS	% OF RELATED CHILDREN IN PROVIDENCE UNDER 18 YEARS, BELOW POVERTY LEVEL	#	%	#	%	#	%
14	12.1	0.1	14	100.0	-	-	-	-

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B.9 - 1972-1977: DECEMBER AFDC CASES

YEAR	NUMBER OF CASES	% OF CASES IN PROVIDENCE
1972	6	0.1
1973	6	0.1
1974	9	0.2
1975	9	0.2
1976	10	0.2
1977	15	0.3

B. 10 - 1970 CENSUS: FAMILIES RECEIVING PUBLIC ASSISTANCE

# FAMILIES RECEIVING PUBLIC ASSISTANCE	% OF ALL FAMILIES IN NEIGHBORHOOD	% OF FAMILIES IN PROVIDENCE RECEIVING PUBLIC ASSISTANCE
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B.11 - 1970 CENSUS: UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS RECEIVING PUBLIC ASSISTANCE

# PERSONS	% OF UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS IN NEIGHBORHOOD	% OF TOTAL UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS RECEIVING PUBLIC ASSISTANCE IN PROVIDENCE
263	31.0	1.4

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C.1 - 1975: TOTAL HOUSING, VACANCY RATE, AND UNITS IN NEED OF SUBSTANTIAL REHABILITATION

Characteristics	Number
Total Housing Units	967
Vacancy Rate	N/A
% of Units in Need of Substantial Rehabilitation*	1.1

* The need for "substantial rehabilitation" was determined by the Department of Planning and Urban Development based on a survey which considered structural factors including: Foundation, Exterior Shell, Porches and Stairs, Gutters and Down Spouts, Doors and Windows, Roof and Chimney.

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C.2 - 1970 CENSUS: UNITS IN STRUCTURE AS A PERCENTAGE OF NEIGHBORHOOD'S HOUSING STRUCTURES

	1970	
NUMBER OF UNITS IN STRUCTURE	#	%
1 (INCLUDES MOBILE HOME/ TRAILER)	30	3.4
2	67	7.7
3 AND 4	29	3.3
5 TO 49	113	13.0
50 AND OVER	633	72.6
TOTAL YEAR-ROUND HOUSING UNITS	872	100.0

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C.3 - 1970 CENSUS: AGE OF NEIGHBORHOOD HOUSING AS A PERCENTAGE OF TOTAL NEIGHBORHOOD HOUSING UNITS

AGE OF HOUSING	#	%
1969 TO MARCH 1970	–	–
1965 TO 1968	334	38.3
1960 TO 1964	228	26.2
1950 TO 1959	22	2.5
1940 TO 1949	5	0.6
1939 AND EARLIER	283	32.5
TOTAL	872	100.0

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C.4 - 1960, 1970 CENSUS: HOUSING UNITS BY OWNER AND RENTER

	1960	1970	Net Change 1960-1970
Total Housing Units	855	885	+ 30
Owner Occupied	13	59	+ 46
Renter Occupied	661	790	+ 129
Vacancy Rate	21.2%	4.1%	- 80.7%

C.5 - 1970 CENSUS: MEDIAN VALUE OR RENT OF OCCUPIED UNITS

STATUS	1970
Median Value	$14,100
Median Rent	$110

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C.6 1960, 1970 CENSUS: RENTER-OCCUPIED AS A PERCENTAGE OF NEIGHBORHOOD'S RENTED UNITS

	1960		1970	
	#	%	#	%
Total - Rented Units	624	100.0	789	100.0
Less Than $40	306	49.0	5	0.6
$40 to $59	175	28.0	261	33.1
$60 to $79	81	13.0	122	15.4
$80 to $99	25	4.0	10	1.3
$100 to $149	4	.6	91	11.5
$150 and Over	33	5.3	281	35.6
No Cash Rents	-	-	19	2.4
Median Rent	$40	-	$80	-

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C. 7 - 1970 CENSUS: VALUE OF OWNER OCCUPIED HOUSING BY HEAD OF HOUSEHOLD

SINGLE FAMILY	TOTAL OWNER OCCUPIED UNITS #	%
Less Than $5,000	0	.0
$5,000 - $7,499	0	.0
$7,500 - $9,999	2	5.9
$10,000 - $14,999	19	55.9
$15,000 - $19,999	12	35.3
$20,000 - $24,999	1	2.9
$25,000 - $34,999	0	.0
$35,000 - $49,999	0	.0
$50,000 and over	0	.0
TOTAL	34	100.0

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C.8 - 1960, 1970 CENSUS: DENSITY OF RESIDENCE WITHIN HOUSING UNIT

	1960		1970	
	#	%	#	%
TOTAL NUMBER OF OCCUPIED UNITS	674	100.0	849	100.0
ROOMS WITH 1.00 PERSONS OR LESS	648	96.1	831	97.8
ROOMS WITH 1.01 PERSONS OR MORE	26	3.9	18	2.2
MEDIAN PERSONS PER OCCUPIED UNIT	1.1	-	1.3	-

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C. 9 - 1970 CENSUS: NUMBER OF AUTOMOBILES AVAILABLE BY HOUSEHOLD

Automobiles	# Households
One	349
Two	58
Three or More	9
None	404

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C. 10 1975 DISTRIBUTION OF LAND USE BY NEIGHBORHOOD

LAND USE CATEGORY	LAND AREA IN SQ. FT.	% OF TOTAL AREA
Undeveloped Land and Water Areas	243,853	2.8
Residential Uses (Total)	767,965	8.8
One Family	--	--
Two Family	23,242	.3
Three Family	73,998	.8
Multi-Family	578,980	6.6
Other	91,745	1.0
Manufacturing	255,640	2.9
Transportation, Communication and Utilities	2,892,207	33.0
Trade (Total)	1,752,768	20.0
Wholesale	1,067,973	12.2
Retail	684,795	7.8
General Services	733,668	8.4
Institutional and Governmental Services (Total)	1,684,386	19.3
Education (Nursery, Primary and Secondary)	26,634	.3
Educational Services (other)	67,995	.8
Religious Services	231,890	2.6
Medical and Health Services	47,131	.5
Government	1,274,197	14.6
Other (Service Organizations, Cemeteries, etc.)	36,539	.4
Cultural, Entertainment, and Recreation Services	398,219	4.6
Resource Production and Extraction	--	--
Totals	8,728,706	100.0

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D. 1 - 1966-1974: NET EFFECT OF RESIDENT BIRTHS AND DEATHS

YEAR	BIRTHS	% OF CITY BIRTHS	DEATHS	% OF CITY DEATHS	NET EFFECT
1966	5	.15	40	1.5	-35
1967	3	.09	38	1.4	-35
1968	15	.48	36	1.4	-21
1969	8	.26	41	1.7	-33
1970	7	.22	33	1.4	-26
1971	2	.06	43	1.8	-41
1972	4	.16	47	2.1	-43
1973	6	.25	54	2.3	-48
1974	6	.28	48	2.3	-42
TOTALS	56	-	380	-	-324
5 YR. AVERAGE 1970-74	5.0	.19	45.0	2.0	-40.0

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D.2 -1970-1974: SELECTED HEALTH INDICES: MORTALITY

Deaths by Cause	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	5 YEAR AVERAGE
Malignant Neoplasms	7	9	10	12	12	10.0
Lung	3	2	-	-	3	1.6
Breast	-	-	-	2	-	0.4
Cervix	-	-	-	1	-	0.2
Colon & Rectum	-	2	4	5	-	2.2
Diabetes Mellitus	-	1	2	2	-	1.0
Cadiovascular Disease	19	26	25	27	27	24.8
Heart Disease (All Forms)	15	15	21	23	23	19.4
Myocardial Infarction	6	7	13	8	7	8.2
Chronic Ischemic Heart Dis.	7	4	4	10	13	7.6
Cerebrovascular Disease	4	9	2	4	4	4.6
Respiratory Disease	4	5	2	5	2	3.6
Pneumonia/Influenza	2	2	1	2	1	1.6
Emphysema	2	2	6	-	-	0.8
Gastrointestinal Disease	2	1	1	1	2	1.4
Cirrhosis of the Liver	2	-	1	-	1	0.8
External Causes	1	1	2	5	1	2.0
Motor Vehicle Accidents	-	-	1	1	-	0.4

otal Deaths	33	43	47	54	48	45.0
Mean Age at Death	76.2	74.3	72.7	77.2	78.9	75.9
Infant Deaths	-	-	-	-	-	-
Number Age 65 and Over	27	39	35	46	43	38.0

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D.3 - 1970-1974: SELECTED HEALTH INDICIES: NATALITY						
INDICIES	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	Five Year Average
LIVE BIRTHS	7	2	4	6	6	5.0
NEWBORNS WEIGHING BELOW 2500 GRAMS (5½ LBS.)	1	1	-	1	1	0.8
BIRTHS TO MOTHERS UNDER AGE 20	2	-	-	1	2	1.0
BIRTHS TO MOTHERS AGE 35 AND OVER	-	-	-	-	-	0.0
BIRTHS OF PARITY GREATER THAN 3	-	-	-	-	-	0.0

D.4 - 1977: ADMISSIONS AND RATE/THOUSAND TO PROVIDENCE MENTAL HEALTH CENTER		
ADMISSIONS	RATE/THOUSAND	% OF NEIGHBORHOOD POPULATION
18	11.5	1.2

E.1 - 1972, 1973: FAMILY COURT HEARINGS OTHER THAN WAYWARD/DELINQUENT (MOTOR VEHICLE VIOLATIONS EXCLUDED), MALE AND FEMALE CHILDREN

	1973		1972	
MALE CHILDREN	# CASES	% CITY CASES	# CASES	% CITY CASES
NEW	1	0.4	-	-
REPEATERS	3	0.9	2	0.7
VIOLATORS OF PROBATION	1	0.4	2	0.6

	1973		1972	
FEMALE CHILDREN	# CASES	% CITY CASES	# CASES	% CITY CASES
NEW	-	-	-	-
REPEATERS	1	2.1	-	-
VIOLATORS OF PROBATION	-	-	-	-

	1973		1972	
TOTAL CHILDREN	# CASES	% CITY CASES	# CASES	% CITY CASES
NEW	1	0.3	-	-
REPEATERS	4	1.1	2	0.6
VIOLATORS OF PROBATION	1	0.3	2	0.5

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E.2 - 1972, 1973: NON-JUDICIAL MOTOR VEHICLE VIOLATIONS ONLY

	1973		1972	
MALE CHILDREN	# CASES	% CITY CASES	# CASES	% CITY CASES
NEW	1	1.2	-	-
REPEATERS	-	-	-	-
VIOLATORS OF PROBATION	-	-	-	-

	1973		1972	
FEMALE CHILDREN	# CASES	% CITY CASES	# CASES	% CITY CASES
NEW	-	-	-	-
REPEATERS	-	-	-	-
VIOLATORS OF PROBATION	-	-	-	-

	1973		1972	
TOTAL CHILDREN	# CASES	% CITY CASES	# CASES	% CITY CASES
NEW	1	1.1	-	-
REPEATERS	-	-	-	-
VIOLATORS OF PROBATION	-	-	-	-

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E.3 - 1972, 1973: NON-JUDICIAL - OTHER THAN WAYWARD/DELINQUENT
(MOTOR VEHICLE VIOLATIONS EXCLUDED)

	1973		1972	
MALE CHILDREN	# CASES	% CITY CASES	# CASES	% CITY CASES
NEW	-	-	-	-
REPEATERS	-	-	-	-
VIOLATORS OF PROBATION	-	-	-	-

	1973		1972	
FEMALE CHILDREN	# CASES	% CITY CASES	# CASES	% CITY CASES
NEW	-	-	-	-
REPEATERS	-	-	-	-
VIOLATORS OF PROBATION	-	-	-	-

	1973		1972	
TOTAL CHILDREN	# CASES	% CITY CASES	# CASES	% CITY CASES
NEW	-	-	-	-
REPEATERS	-	-	-	-
VIOLATORS OF PROBATION	-	-	-	-

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E.4 - 1972, 1973: HEARINGS - MOTOR VEHICLE VIOLATIONS ONLY

	1973		1972	
MALE CHILDREN	# CASES	% CITY CASES	# CASES	% CITY
NEW	1	1.5	-	-
REPEATERS	-	-	-	-
VIOLATORS OF PROBATION	-	-	-	-

	1973		1972	
FEMALE CHILDREN	# CASES	% CITY CASES	# CASES	% CITY CASES
NEW	-	-	-	-
REPEATERS	-	-	-	-
VIOLATORS OF PROBATION	-	-	-	-

	1973		1972	
TOTAL CHILDREN	# CASES	% CITY CASES	# CASES	% CITY CASES
NEW	1	1.3	-	-
REPEATERS	-	-	-	-
VIOLATORS OF PROBATION	-	-	-	-

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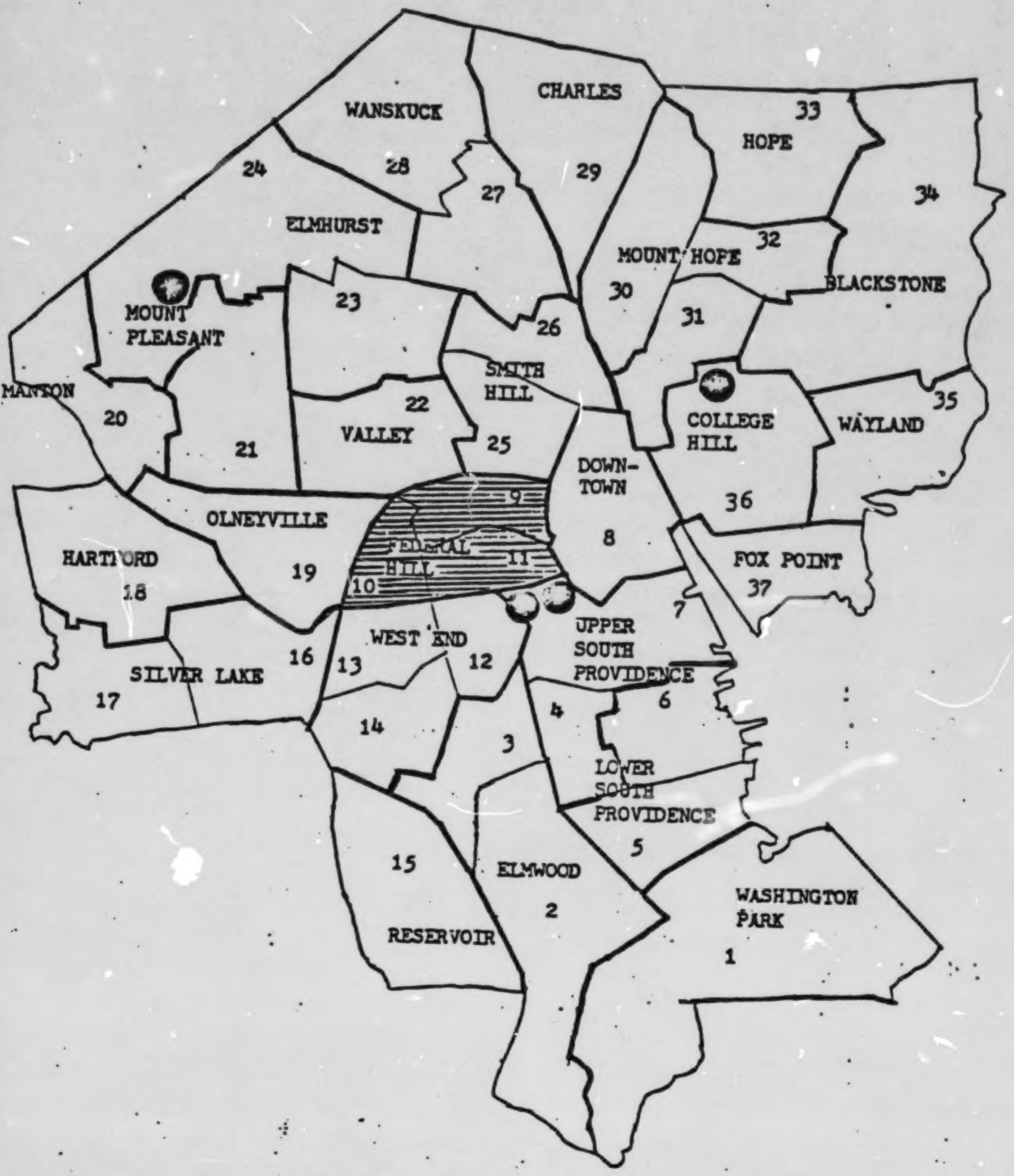
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The Federal Hill neighborhood, composed of census tracks 9, 10, and 11, is located in the central area of Providence. It is bounded on the north and west by the old New York-New Haven tracks, on the south by Westminster Street, and on the east by Route 95.

The major thoroughfares in Federal Hill are Atwells Ave, Broadway, and Westminster Street. These roads were constructed in colonial days to connect Downtown with the western farmlands. It was not until after the Revolution, however, that this neighborhood began to develop, and by 1830 it was solidly established as an urban residential area. At this time the Irish began migrating to Providence in quantity, and many settled on Federal Hill. The Irish were a strong component of the population, with many employed in the textile mills of the Woonasquatucket.

The greatest early twentieth century influence on this neighborhood was the growth of the Italian community. The Italians had begun arriving here in small numbers in the 1880's, but by 1900 the trickle had swelled to a flood, and by 1910 Federal Hill was almost wholly Italian. With the increase in population the area saw increased development, with Atwells Avenue becoming almost entirely commercial. Three deckers and tenements crowded the streets, and a number of churches were built.

The impact of the post World War II suburban boom was devastating for Federal Hill. In the first decade after the war over one-third of the neighborhood's population abandoned the area. This loss in population resulted in church and school closings, house abandonment, and structural deterioration. Attempts to halt the spread of blight and renew the fading area through urban renewal of the 50's and 60's had a dramatic effect on the neighborhood. Whole areas were cleared for reconstruction, with Interstate 95 requiring extensive demolition. The new highway also served to separate Federal Hill from the downtown portion of the city. Today, this neighborhood is reaching a point of stability with many private efforts underway to return Federal Hill to its place as a desirable residential area.

In 1970, the population of Federal Hill was 10,189 with a racial and ethnic composition of 98.7% White, 0.8% Black and 0.4% Spanish speaking and other groups. Between the years of 1960-1970, there was a net decrease of 4463 whites(30.7%) coupled with a decrease of 40 (24.4%) non-whites. In 1970 the total foreign stock population for Federal Hill numbered 4887. The four most frequent countries of origin were Italy (77.2%), Canada (5.7%), United Kingdom (3.2%), and Ireland (1.0%). English is the predominantly spoken language.

Between the years 1960 and 1970 the median income for all families rose from $4180.00 to $7103.00, an increase of 69.9%. In 1970, the median income for all unrelated individuals was $1969.00 In 1960, 3473 (92.8%) of the Federal Hill male population fourteen years and older was employed in the civilian labor force as opposed to 2039 (92.2%) of the female population. By 1970 the percentage of males sixteen years and older had decreased to 2258 (92.1%), while an increase to 1824 (93.3%) was shown for the female population. The unemployment rates for 1960 and 1970 were 7.5% and 7.3% respectively.

With an unemployment rate of 7.3% in Federal Hill in 1970, 159 (6.0%) of the neighborhood's families were receiving public assistance as were 853 (4.6%) of all unrelated individuals. Between the years 1972 and 1977, the number of AFDC recipients changed from 293 to 300 which corresponds to 5.4% and 5.0% of the number of cases for the City of Providence.

The general housing indicators for Federal Hill have shown variation between 1960 and 1970. The number of owner occupied units was 1127 in 1960 and 970 in 1970. During this same timespan, the number of renter occupied units changed from 2117 to 2065 with a vacancy rate decrease from 13.1% to 7.2%. In 1970, the median value of occupied units was $11,666 and the median rent $71.00. In 1975, the number of units in need of substantial rehabilitation in Federal Hill totalled 2685 (72.6%). Between 1960 and 1970, the total number of rented units decreased from 3857 to 3254 with a change in rents from $52.00 to $71.00. In 1970 the breakdown of the age of housing as a percentage of the number of housing units appeared as follows: 0% built between 1969 and 1970; 5.4% 1965 to 1968; 0.7% 1960 to 1964; 0.5% 1950 to 1959; 2.3% 1940 to 1949; and 90.1% constructed prior to 1939. Also in 1970 there were 1827 households with one automobile, 360 with two and 47 with three or more. One-thousand eight-hundred thirty-five households were listed as having none at all. The median years of education completed in 1970 by persons twenty-five years and older was 9.3 for the total population.

Currently there are 252 eighth through eleventh graders in Federal Hill which is a part of the Central High School feeder pattern. Of these 252 students, there are 210 (86.4%) Whites, 9 (3.7%) Blacks and 33 (9.9%) Hispanic and other. With an enrollment of 252, Federal Hill ranks 10th in total high school student enrollment. At the present time, there are 7 bus routes directly to Central/Classical, but none to Hope or Mount Pleasant.

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A.1 - 1960, 1975: TOTAL POPULATION BY 5 YEAR INTERVALS

POPULATION	YEAR			
	1960	1965	1970	1975
NUMBER	14,692	12,272	10,189	7,552
% OF TOTAL POPULATION OF PROVIDENCE	7.4	6.8	5.7	4.6

A.2 - 1960, 1970: POPULATION BY WHITE AND NON-WHITE

POPULATION	YEAR	
	1960	1970
WHITE	14,528	10,065
NON-WHITE	164	124

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A.3 - 1960, 1970 CENSUS: POPULATION BY RACE AND SPANISH LANGUAGE

YEAR	TOTAL POPULATION	WHITE		NON-WHITE		BLACK		SPANISH LANGUAGE	
		#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%
1960	14692	14528	98.9	164	1.1	152	1.0	N/A	N/A
1970	10189	10065	98.8	124	1.2	84	0.8	112	1.1
1960-1970 Increase (+) Decrease (-)		-4463	-30.7	-40	-24.4	-68	-44.7	N/A	N/A
% Change in Proportional Distribution		-0.1		+0.1		-0.1		N/A	

A.4 - 1970 CENSUS: FERTILITY RATIO BY POPULATION

Total Population	86.6

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A.5 - 1970 CENSUS: PERSONS 25 YEARS OF AGE AND OVER BY RACE AND YEARS OF SCHOOL COMPLETED

LEVEL AND YEARS OF SCHOOL COMPLETED	TOTAL POPULATION		WHITE		BLACK		OTHER	
	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%
NO SCHOOL YEAR COMPLETED	297	4.6	296	4.6	1	2.7	-	-
ELEMENTARY: 1-4 YEARS	462	7.1	458	7.1	4	10.8	-	-
5-7 YEARS	1182	18.2	1177	18.3	-	-	5	17.9
8 YEARS	1230	18.9	1222	19.0	4	10.8	4	14.3
HIGH SCHOOL: 1-3 YEARS	1942	29.9	1921	29.8	8	21.6	13	46.4
4 YEARS	991	15.2	972	15.1	13	35.1	6	21.4
COLLEGE: 1-3 YEARS	196	3.0	189	2.9	7	18.9	-	-
4 YEARS OR MORE	201	3.1	201	3.1	-	-	-	-
TOTAL	6501	100.0	6436	100.0	37	100.0	28	100.0

A.6 - 1970 CENSUS: MEDIAN SCHOOL YEARS COMPLETED

TOTAL POPULATION
9.3

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A. 7 - 1970 CENSUS: NATIVITY AND PARENTAGE		
NATIVITY	TOTAL POPULATION	
	#	%
NATIVE OF NATIVE PARENT	5401	52.5
FOREIGN STOCK	4887	47.5
TOTAL	10,288	100.0

A. 8 - 1970 CENSUS: MOST FREQUENT COUNTRY OF ORIGIN OF FOREIGN STOCK		
COUNTRY OF ORIGIN	# OF PERSONS	% FOREIGN STOCK POPULATION
ITALY	3744	76.6
CANADA	279	5.7
UNITED KINGDOM	158	3.2
IRELAND	48	1.0

A.9 - 1970 CENSUS: SPANISH POPULATION INDICATORS		
INDICATORS	# OF PERSONS	% OF TOTAL POPULATION
SPANISH LANGUAGE	112	1.1

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B.1 - 1970 CENSUS: NUMBER OF EMPLOYED PERSONS 16 YEARS OLD AND OVER BY OCCUPATION

OCCUPATION	1960[1] TOTAL PERSONS EMPLOYED		1970 TOTAL PERSONS EMPLOYED		WHITE		BLACK		SPANISH	
	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%
Professional, Technical and Kindred Workers	262	5.2	191	4.7	186	4.6	5	15.2	-	-
Managers and Administrators Except Farm	229	4.6	157	3.8	157	3.9	-	-	-	-
Sales Workers	258	5.2	171	4.2	171	4.3	-	-	-	-
Clerical and Kindred Workers	659	13.2	697	17.1	686	17.1	5	15.2	-	-
Craftsmen, Foremen and Kindred Workers	821	16.4	550	13.5	536	13.3	7	21.2	-	-
Operatives, Except Transport	1948	39.0	1314	32.2	1294	32.2	8	24.2	35	63.6
Transport Equipment Operatives	7	0.1	160	3.9	160	4.0	-	-	8	14.5
Laborers, Except Farm	314	6.3	248	6.1	245	6.1	-	-	-	-
Farmers and Farm Managers Farm Laborers and Foremen	-	-	16	0.4	16	0.4	-	-	-	-
Service Workers, Except Private Household	488	9.7	558	13.7	545	13.6	4	12.1	7	12.7
Private Household Workers	15	0.3	20	0.5	16	0.4	4	12.1	5	9.1
TOTAL	5001	100.0	4082	100.0	4012		33	100.0	55	

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[1] 1960 data listed for persons 14 years old and over.

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B.2 - 1960 CENSUS: EMPLOYMENT STATUS, MALES 14 YEARS AND OVER (CIVILIAN LABOR FORCE)

STATUS	TOTAL	
	#	%
EMPLOYED	3473	92.8
UNEMPLOYED	290	7.2

B.3 - 1960 CENSUS: EMPLOYMENT STATUS, FEMALES 14 YEARS AND OVER (CIVILIAN LABOR FORCE)

STATUS	TOTAL	
	#	%
EMPLOYED	2039	92.2
UNEMPLOYED	173	7.8

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B.4 - 1970 CENSUS: EMPLOYMENT STATUS BY RACE OF MALES 16 YEARS AND OVER (CIVILIAN LABOR FORCE)

STATUS	POPULATION		WHITE		BLACK	
	#	%	#	%	#	%
EMPLOYED	2258	92.1	2225	92.0	12	100.0
UNEMPLOYED	194	7.9	194	8.0	0	0
TOTAL	2452	100.0	2419	100.0	12	100.0

B.5 - 1970 CENSUS: EMPLOYMENT STATUS BY RACE OF FEMALES 16 YEARS AND OVER (CIVILIAN LABOR FORCE)

STATUS	POPULATION		WHITE		BLACK	
	#	%	#	%	#	%
EMPLOYED	1824	93.3	1787	93.1	21	100.0
UNEMPLOYED	132	6.7	132	6.9	0	0
TOTAL	1956	100.0	1919	100.0	21	100.0

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B.6 - 1960, 1970 CENSUS: MEDIAN INCOME

6.1 1960 MEDIAN INCOME [1]

YEAR	ALL FAMILIES AND UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS
1960	$3589

6.2 1970 MEDIAN INCOME

YEAR	ALL FAMILIES	ALL UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS
1970	$7,103	$1,969

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1) 1960 Median Income Data is not disaggregated by families and unrelated individuals.

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B.7 - 1970 CENSUS: PERSONS BELOW POVERTY LEVEL		
TOTAL POPULATION		
# PERSONS	% OF NEIGHBORHOOD POPULATION	% OF TOTAL POPULATION OF PROVIDENCE BELOW POVERTY LEVEL
2341	21.5	7.3

B.8 - 1970 CENSUS: NUMBER OF RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 IN FAMILIES BELOW POVERTY LEVEL BY RACE								
TOTAL POPULATION			WHITE		BLACK		OTHER	
# PERSONS	% OF NEIGHBORHOOD POPULATION BELOW 18 YEARS	% OF RELATED CHILDREN IN PROVIDENCE UNDER 18 YEARS, BELOW POVERTY LEVEL	#	%	#	%	#	%
743	28.6	6.7	733	98.7	10	1.3	-	-

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B.9 - 1972-1977: DECEMBER AFDC CASES

YEAR	NUMBER OF CASES	% OF PROVIDENCE'S CASES
1972	293	5.4
1973	286	5.3
1974	269	4.8
1975	291	5.0
1976	318	5.5
1977	300	5.0

B. 10 1970 CENSUS: FAMILIES RECEIVING PUBLIC ASSISTANCE

# FAMILIES RECEIVING PUBLIC ASSISTANCE	% OF PROVIDENCE'S FAMILIES RECEIVING PUBLIC ASSISTANCE	% OF ALL FAMILIES IN NEIGHBORHOOD
159	7.5	6.0

B. 11 1970 CENSUS: UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS RECEIVING PUBLIC ASSISTANCE

#UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS RECEIVING PUBLIC ASSISTANCE	% OF NEIGHBORHOOD UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS	% OF PROVIDENCE'S UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS RECEIVING PUBLIC ASSISTANCE
853	53.1	4.6

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C.1 - 1975: TOTAL HOUSING, VACANCY RATE, AND UNITS IN NEED OF SUBSTANTIAL REHABILITATION

Characteristics	Number
Total Housing Units	3697
Vacancy Rate	4.9%
% of Units in Need of Substantial Rehabilitation*	72.6

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* The need for "substantial rehabilitation" was determined by the Department of Planning and Urban Development based on a survey which considered structural factors including: Foundation, Exterior Shell, Porches and Stairs, Gutters and Down Spouts, Doors and Windows, Roof and Chimney.

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C.2 - 1970 CENSUS: UNITS IN STRUCTURE AS A PERCENTAGE OF NEIGHBORHOOD'S HOUSING STRUCTURES

	1970	
NUMBER OF UNITS IN STRUCTURE	#	%
1 (INCLUDES MOBILE HOME/ TRAILER)	239	5.3
2	860	18.9
3 AND 4	1,864	41.0
5 TO 49	1,344	29.5
50 AND OVER	242	5.3
TOTAL YEAR-ROUND HOUSING UNITS	4,549	100.0

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C.3 - 1970 CENSUS: AGE OF NEIGHBORHOOD HOUSING AS A PERCENTAGE OF TOTAL NEIGHBORHOOD HOUSING UNITS		
AGE OF HOUSING	#	%
1969 TO MARCH 1970	-	-
1965 TO 1968	192	5.4
1960 TO 1964	24	0.7
1950 TO 1959	16	0.5
1940 TO 1949	82	2.3
1939 AND EARLIER	3,235	9.1
TOTAL	3,549	100.0

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C.4 - 1960, 1970 CENSUS: HOUSING UNITS BY OWNER AND RENTER

	1960	1970	Net Change 1960-1970
Total Housing Units	5690	4530	- 1160
Owner Occupied	960	782	- 178
Renter Occupied	3951	3246	- 705
Vacancy Rate	13.8%	11.2%	- 18.8%

C.5 - 1970 CENSUS: MEDIAN VALUE OR RENT OF OCCUPIED UNITS

STATUS	1970
Median Value	$10,366
Median Rent	$43

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C.6 - 1960, 1970 CENSUS: RENTER-OCCUPIED AS A PERCENTAGE OF NEIGHBORHOOD'S RENTED UNITS

	1960		1970	
	#	%	#	%
Total - Rented Units	3837	100.0	3254	100.0
Less Than $40	876	22.8	72	2.2
$40 to $59	1687	44.0	902	27.7
$60 to $79	969	25.2	996	30.6
$80 to $99	218	5.7	735	22.6
$100 to $149	62	1.6	413	12.7
$150 and Over	25	.6	25	0.8
No Cash Rents	-	-	111	3.4
Median Rent	$52	-	$71	-

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C. 7 - 1970 CENSUS: VALUE OF OWNER OCCUPIED HOUSING BY HEAD OF HOUSEHOLD

	TOTAL OWNER OCCUPIED UNITS	
SINGLE FAMILY	#	%
Less Than $5,000	10	8.5
$5,000 - $7,499	17	14.4
$7,500 - $9,999	23	19.5
$10,000 - $14,999	47	39.8
$15,000 - $19,999	16	13.6
$20,000 - $24,999	3	2.5
$25,000 - $34,999	0	.0
$35,000 - $49,999	1	0.8
$50,000 and over	1	0.8
TOTAL	118	100.0

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C.8 - 1960, 1970 CENSUS: DENSITY OF RESIDENCE WITHIN HOUSING UNIT

	1960		1970	
	#	%	#	%
TOTAL NUMBER OF OCCUPIED UNITS	5911	100.0	4028	100.0
ROOMS WITH 1.00 PERSONS OR LESS	5461	92.4	3780	93.8
ROOMS WITH 1.01 PERSONS OR MORE	450	7.6	248	6.2
MEDIAN PERSONS PER OCCUPIED UNIT	2.7	-	2.1	-

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C. 9 - 1970 CENSUS:	NUMBER OF AUTOMOBILES AVAILABLE BY HOUSEHOLD
Automobiles	**# Households**
One	1827
Two	360
Three or More	47
None	1835

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C. 10 1975 DISTRIBTUION OF LAND USE BY NEIGHBORHOOD

LAND USE CATEGORY	LAND AREA IN SQ. FT.	% OF TOTAL AREA
Undeveloped Land and Water Areas	1,157,158	11.8
Residential Uses (Total)	5,060,015	51.4
One Family	505,524	5.1
Two Family	1,281,658	13.0
Three Family	1,567,389	15.9
Multi-Family	1,458,111	14.8
Other	247,333	2.5
Manufacturing	571,818	5.8
Transportation, Communication and Utilities	1,268,464	12.9
Trade (Total)	702,705	7.1
Wholesale	99,059	1.0
Retail	603,646	6.1
General Services	390,200	4.0
Institutional and Governmental Services (Total)	578,258	5.9
Education (Nursery, Primary and Secondary)	274,844	2.8
Educational Services (other)	31,619	.3
Religious Services	148,989	1.5
Medical and Health Services	7,500	.1
Government	46,954	.5
Other (Service Organizations, Cemeteries, etc.)	68,352	.7
Cultural, Entertainment, and Recreation Services	113,001	1.1
Resource Production and Extraction	--	--
Totals	9,841,619	100.0

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D. I - 1966-1974: NET EFFECT OF RESIDENT BIRTHS AND DEATHS

YEAR	BIRTHS	% OF CITY BIRTHS	DEATHS	% OF CITY DEATHS	NET EFFECT
1966	193	5.9	208	7.8	-15
1967	181	5.8	184	6.9	-3
1968	154	4.9	206	7.7	-52
1969	161	5.2	178	7.3	-17
1970	156	4.9	172	7.0	-16
1971	167	5.8	190	8.0	-23
1972	124	5.0	152	6.7	-28
1973	97	4.1	146	6.2	-49
1974	99	4.7	156	7.3	-57
TOTALS	1332	-	1592	-	-260
5 YR. AVERAGE 1970-74	128.6	4.9	163.2	7.0	-34.6

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D.2 - 1970-1974: SELECTED HEALTH INDICES: MORTALITY

Deaths by Cause	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	5 YEAR AVERAGE
Malignant Neoplasms	40	38	33	33	30	34.8
Lung	10	8	3	8	2	6.2
Breast	3	-	2	4	5	2.8
Cervix	-	-	2	-	-	0.4
Colon & Rectum	7	6	4	4	4	5.0
Diabetes Mellitus	9	4	4	6	5	5.6
Cadiovascular Disease	83	106	86	65	82	84.4
Heart Disease (All Forms)	63	90	69	67	66	71.0
Myocardial Infarction	26	29	36	30	33	30.8
Chronic Ischemic Heart Dis.	29	42	27	28	23	29.8
Cerebrovascular Disease	14	13	12	13	13	13.0
Respiratory Disease	9	9	5	5	7	7.0
Pneumonia/Influenza	6	4	4	3	3	4.0
Emphysema	-	1	-	-	1	0.4
Gastrointestinal Disease	7	7	3	7	12	7.2
Cirrhosis of the Liver	3	2	1	3	6	3.0
External Causes	15	7	8	10	8	9.6
Motor Vehicle Accidents	3	-	2	1	4	2.0

Total Deaths	172	190	152	146	156	163.2
Mean Age at Death	68.5	69.6	69.3	71.7	69.4	69.7
Infant Deaths	5	8	1	-	2	1.1
Number Age 65 and Over	121	136	104	110	108	38.6

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D.3 - 1970-1974: SELECTED HEALTH INDICIES: NATALITY

INDICIES	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	Five Year Average
LIVE BIRTHS	156	167	124	97	99	128.6
NEWBORNS WEIGHING BELOW 2500 GRAMS (5½ LBS.)	13	16	9	7	7	10.4
BIRTHS TO MOTHERS UNDER AGE 20	34	25	26	22	21	25.6
BIRTHS TO MOTHERS AGE 35 AND OVER	9	13	8	2	1	6.6
BIRTHS OF PARITY GREATER THAN 3	20	44	17	11	6	19.6

D.4 - 1977: ADMISSIONS AND RATE/THOUSAND TO PROVIDENCE MENTAL HEALTH CENTER

ADMISSIONS	RATE/THOUSAND	% OF NEIGHBORHOOD POPULATION
104	10.2	1.0

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E.1 - 1972, 1973: FAMILY COURT HEARINGS OTHER THAN WAYWARD/DELINQUENT (MOTOR VEHICLE VIOLATIONS EXCLUDED), MALE AND FEMALE CHILDREN

	1973		1972	
MALE CHILDREN	# CASES	% CITY CASES	# CASES	% CITY CASES
NEW	7	2.9	15	5.4
REPEATERS	19	5.9	15	5.5
VIOLATORS OF PROBATION	10	3.6	18	5.2

	1973		1972	
FEMALE CHILDREN	# CASES	% CITY CASES	# CASES	% CITY CASES
NEW	-	-	3	3.2
REPEATERS	-	-	3	6.9
VIOLATORS OF PROBATION	-	-	-	-

	1973		1972	
TOTAL CHILDREN	# CASES	% CITY CASES	# CASES	% CITY CASES
NEW	7	2.2	18	4.8
REPEATERS	19	5.2	18	5.7
VIOLATORS OF PROBATION	10	3.2	18	4.9

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E. 2 - 1972, 1973: NON-JUDICIAL MOTOR VEHICLE VIOLATIONS ONLY

	1973		1972	
MALE CHILDREN	# CASES	% CITY CASES	# CASES	% CITY CASES
NEW	5	6.4	3	3.7
REPEATERS	1	6.6	-	-
VIOLATORS OF PROBATION	-	-	-	-

	1973		1972	
FEMALE CHILDREN	# CASES	% CITY CASES	# CASES	% CITY CASES
NEW	1	8.3	2	18.1
REPEATERS	-	-	-	-
VIOLATORS OF PROBATION	-	-	-	-

	1973		1972	
TOTAL CHILDREN	# CASES	% CITY CASES	# CASES	% CITY CASES
NEW	6	6.6	5	5.5
REPEATERS	1	6.2	-	-
VIOLATORS OF PROBATION	-	-	-	-

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E.3 - 1972, 1973: NON-JUDICIAL - OTHER THAN WAYWARD/DELINQUENT (MOTOR VEHICLE VIOLATIONS EXCLUDED)

MALE CHILDREN	1973 # CASES	1973 % CITY CASES	1972 # CASES	1972 % CITY CASES
NEW	-	-	1	4.5
REPEATERS	1	6.6	-	-
VIOLATORS OF PROBATION	-	-	-	-

FEMALE CHILDREN	1973 # CASES	1973 % CITY CASES	1972 # CASES	1972 % CITY CASES
NEW	1	4.5	1	9.1
REPEATERS	-	-	-	-
VIOLATORS OF PROBATION	-	-	-	-

TOTAL CHILDREN	1973 # CASES	1973 % CITY CASES	1972 # CASES	1972 % CITY CASES
NEW	1	1.7	2	6.1
REPEATERS	1	5.9	-	-
VIOLATORS OF PROBATION	-	-	-	-

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E.4 - 1972, 1973: MOTOR VEHICLE VIOLATIONS ONLY

	1973		1972	
MALE CHILDREN	# CASES	% CITY CASES	# CASES	% CITY CASES
NEW	5	7.6	8	11.5
REPEATERS	1	1.6	3	5.8
VIOLATORS OF PROBATION	1	2.8	2	5.5

	1973		1972	
FEMALE CHILDREN	# CASES	% CITY CASES	# CASES	% CITY CASES
NEW	1	14.2	4	30.7
REPEATERS	-	-	-	-
VIOLATORS OF PROBATION	-	-	-	-

	1973		1972	
TOTAL CHILDREN	# CASES	% CITY CASES	# CASES	% CITY CASES
NEW	6	8.3	12	14.6
REPEATERS	1	1.6	3	5.6
VIOLATORS OF PROBATION	1	2.8	2	5.1

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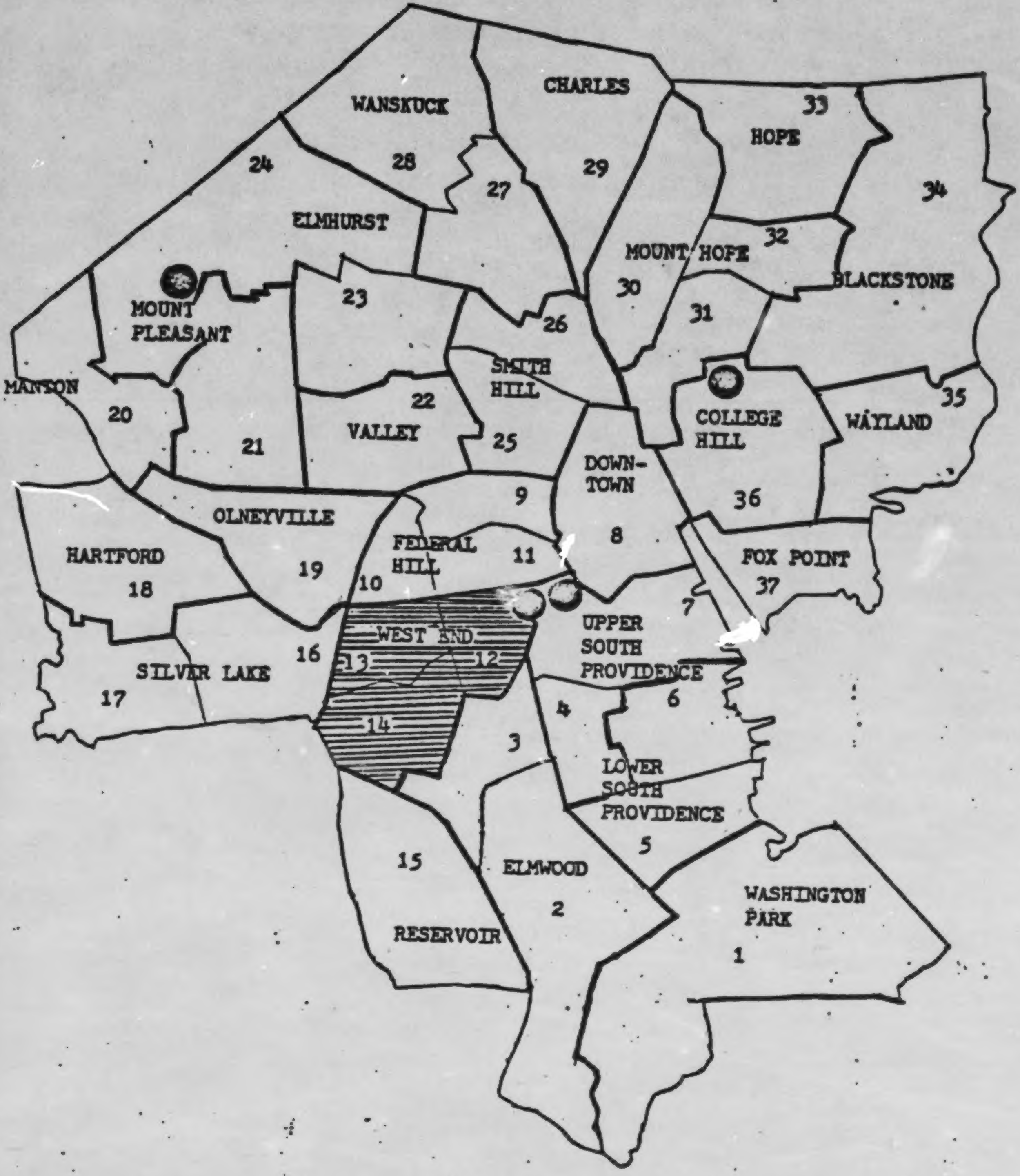
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NEIGHBORHOOD PROFILES

Overview

CPAD Urban Field Center, RICES, University of Rhode Island, provides planning assistance to community groups and city and state agencies in Rhode Island. In The fall of 1977, the Providence School Department contracted with the Center for planning and management for collaboration on the Neutral Site Planning Project, funded by an Emergency School Aid Act (ESAA) grant from the U. S. Office of Education.

The Emergency School Aid Act (ESAA) makes funds available to local education agencies who are involved in efforts to eliminate, reduce, or prevent minority group isolation. Specifically, neutral site planning grants are used to plan for schools that are located so as to be accessible to substantial numbers of students from different racial and ethnic backgrounds. The grants also are used to develop either special curriculum or teaching methodologies not generally offered to students of the same age or grade level in the local educational agency. For the calendar year 1977-78, neutral site planning grants were awarded to four public school systems in the United States by the Office of Education.

The fundamental concept in the location of a neutral school is the assumption that a school's site is one of the significant factors in its success. Location is defined in relation to the racial identity of the neighborhood and area in which the school is placed. Research and experience have demonstrated that schools in racially identifiable communities often have difficulty in enrolling students of the other racial identities. For minority student isolation to be reduced, eliminated or prevented, a school system must identify the location of minority and non-minority students in the district, and select a school site that is accessible to both groups.

This federal grant enabled the Providence School Department and the University of Rhode Island to develop a planning process to meet ESAA's mandate. In particular, the Neutral Site Planning Staff of the University of Rhode Island had responsibility for two objectives of this planning process:

- To conduct studies and surveys to determine the location of a Neutral Site School and;

- To provide technical planning assistance to the Providence School Department in the development of special curriculum options.

The major activities undertaken in order to meet the first objectives were:

- To inventory the present school sites and assess them through a series of significant criteria;
- To identify the location of potential students of the neutral site schools;
- To determine the accessibility of the school sites to the neighborhoods in which minority and non-minority students reside and;
- To describe the characteristics of Providence neighborhoods in which minority and non-minority students reside.

The information developed to meet the first three major activities are found in The Final Report: Volume I: The Neutral Site Plan. The supporting documentation for the fourth activity is the focus of this series of neighborhood profiles.

What are Neighborhood Profiles?

Neighborhood profiles are a series of tables and charts which include statistical information on twenty-four individual neighborhoods in Providence. The information includes demographic, economic, housing, and social service and crime data. Educational demographic characteristics and transportation access for potential neutral site magnet students are presented, although discussed in greater depth in Volume I. Specific indicators from each data category were selected on the basis of an assessment of the perceived needs for educational programming by Rhode Island planners, educators, and community groups; availability of secondary data sources; and experience with data collection and analysis activities in Rhode Island. The listing of indicators is extensive, and includes such data as population by race and Spanish language; median school years completed; employment status; density of residence within housing unit; distribution of land use; selected health indices; and crime data. Each series of tables and charts is introduced by a summary of key indicators and a map of the neighborhood.

There are twenty-four neighborhoods for which profiles have been prepared. The neighborhood designations are modifications of the Providence Department of Planning and Urban Development (PUD) boundaries. Where modifications occur, it is because the Neutral Site Planning Project staff collected secondary data by census tract and defined neighborhoods accordingly. Table One lists the neighborhoods included in this series.

The neighborhood profiles were developed in order to provide the educational community with an understanding of the student's environment "outside the classroom". It is only with planning from a neighborhood or city-wide perspective that responsive programs and schools can be

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TABLE ONE
PROVIDENCE NEIGHBORHOODS BY CENSUS TRACTS

NEIGHBORHOOD	CENSUS TRACTS
Blackstone	34
Charles	29
College Hill	36
Downtown	8
Elmhurst	23,24
Elmwood	2,3
Federal Hill	9,10,11
Fox Point	37
Hartford	18
Hope	33
Lower South Providence	5,6
Manton	20
Mount Hope	30,31,32
Mount Pleasant	21
Olneyville	19
Reservoir	15
Silver Lake	16,17
Smith Hill	25,26
Upper South Providence	4,7
Valley	22
Wanskuck	27,28
Washington Park	1
Wayland	35
West End	12,13,14

established. It is the underlying philosophy of this planning project that a neighborhood or city-wide perspective is essential for the development of appropriate educational programs. This report presents essential data, with a minimum of analysis.

Methodology for Development of Neighborhood Profiles

The conceptual planning model in the development of neighborhood profiles is the utilization of a comprehensive planning approach to urban systems analysis as applied to the public education system in Providence, Rhode Island. This applied research approach was previously tested by the Support Research Component of Metropolitan Planning Project in their 1974 ESAA Plan for the Voluntary Elimination of Racial and Ethnic Isolation in the Schools of the Boston Metropolitan Areas, and by the Education Commission of the States in their 1978 report, Exploring Metropolitan Ways Toward Reducing Isolation: Prospects for Progress.

It is based on the fundamental assertion of social science research that the environment in which we live is structured by the interrelationships of various community systems (i.e. housing, economy, transportation, education, recreation). Neither a community nor a school system can develop independently of the other; rather each grows and changes, partially in response to each other's needs. The critical analytic element is found in the understanding of the impact of these systems. For example, the composition of the city population, the economic structure of the community, the transportation pattern, and the land use pattern are directly related to such educational programming components as the nature of school involvement, curriculum development, attendance patterns and teacher training. The transportation network, a significant factor in locating a neutral site school, is examined in the neighborhood profiles as a community system which shapes the neighborhood. The educational demographic and facilities characteristics are treated similarly. Together, the collection of demographic, economic, housing, social service, crime, educational demographic, and transportation data provides the informational basis essential to develop an implementation plan for the reduction of racial and ethnic isolation of students in Providence.

The principal sources of data for the neighborhood profiles in Rhode Island are:

- Providence Department of Planning and Urban Development
- Providence Mayors Office of Community Development
- Providence Mental Health Center
- Rhode Island Department of Health
- Rhode Island Health Research, Inc.
- Rhode Island Department of Social and Rehabilitative Services
- Rhode Island Division of Statewide Planning
- Legislative Report of the Family Court of the State of Rhode Island
- Rhode Island Department of Community Affairs
- Rhode Island Historic Preservation Society
- Rhode Island Department of Economic Development

The major secondary data sources were the U.S. Census of Population and of Housing. There were some limitations of census data used in the profiles, however, which ought to be addressed. First, data by race is unavailable by census tract for groups reporting less than 400 persons. In order to identify minority populations less than 4200, it is necessary to use fourth count computer tapes. This is a lengthy and intricate process. Second, census tract boundaries were altered in Providence between 1960 and 1970. This limits the degree of accuracy when comparisons and trends are reported for the ten year period. Third, demographic and socio-economic data has changed significantly since 1970, and new census figures are unavailable. Groups such as the Spanish Speaking are far higher in number than 1970 census data indicates. Fourth, census figures do not include a special break-out for Portuguese, a group which has been increasing greatly in Providence over the past ten years. Numbers of Portuguese residents are included in a category entitled "other", and one can only estimate the population. In spite of these limitations, however, the data provided in these profiles is probably the most comprehensive and recently collected for Providence at the present time.

Who Can Use the Data in Neighborhood Profiles

The information in these neighborhood profiles can be useful to groups such as the following:

School administrators

School Committee members

Professional planners

City administrators

Curriculum developers

Teachers

Human service administrators

Legislatures

Civic and community groups

Civil rights advocates

Students

University researchers

The formats developed for presentation of the data can be duplicated for use by other cities and towns in Rhode Island. A listing of data sources is provided at the conclusion of each profile and can be used if readers are interested in identifying raw data, or collecting similiar types of information.

Usefulness of Data in Neighborhood Profiles for Educational Programming

The data presented in the formats which comprise the neighborhood profiles are very comprehensive. Their usefulness, however, will vary according to the needs of the user. A listing of tables appears at the beginning of each profile and provides a "starting place" for the user. The information can be used directly as supporting documentation or criteria of measurement for groups wishing to evaluate the current state of the schools for future programming identification or for legislation. Moreover, through the employment of an increasingly useful technique, social indicator analysis, this information can be assessed by its implication for educational planning, evaluation, programming and curriculum development. Furthermore, these indicators taken together with a statement of "felt needs" can also be used for a "needs assessment" of educational problems and desires of the community. (See Diagram One on the following page.)

Some examples of the data implications as they relate to educational programming have been identified as a result of a preliminary indicator analysis constructed by the Neutral Site Planning Staff of the Urban Field Center for the Providence School Department. These examples are selected illustrations of the data's implications, for many other areas of analysis are available.

Demographic Data Series - This series is important to all participants in educational decision making: school administrators, planners, civil rights groups, and community groups. Total populations, as well as population by race and Spanish language, are important in determining enrollment projections, school building utilization, and policies concerning transportation and neighborhood school/city wide programs. The racial and language data also has significant implications for developing responsive desegregation plans, and the planning of future ESL/bilingual programs. Population by age is important not only for enrollment projections, but also for assessing the need for day care and pre-school services in a given neighborhood, a function being taken over in many areas by education institutions. The age breakdowns also provide information on numbers of older persons in a neighborhood, a resource finally being identified for volunteer functions in schools across the country. The census figures, detailed by nativity, percentage, and foreign stock, present crucial data on a neighborhood's composition, and indicate the extent of need for multicultural programs in the schools and, again, the diverse resources that exist within the neighborhood for meeting this need, as in the new Art Magnet. The education level of a neighborhood's population also appears in the demographic data series, and indicates the level of experience parents themselves have had with the educational system. It also suggests whether there is a need for adult education utilizing the role model concept for diverse vocational and academic programs.

Economic Data Series - Income data provides an indication of a school system's eligibility for federal funding and the degree of poverty in a neighborhood. Together with employment status information, it raises important issues on transportation reimbursement policies and the need for paid work experience by students. Income data also suggests the status of need for financial assistance for post-secondary education or training. Employment data provides a framework for exploring the need for career education and counseling for adult as well as student populations. It provides the basis for contemporary curriculum development in the career education/vocational skills training area and a "reality" criteria for future programming, as in the new Government and Law and Business and Management Magnets. The status of unemployment in a neighborhood indicates the degree of transition and stability, but also suggests adult availability for participation in school programs and policymaking.

WEST END

The West End neighborhood, composed of census tracts 12, 13, and 14, is located in the western portion of the City of Providence. It is bounded on the north by Westminster Street, on the south by Huntington Avenue, on the east by the Elmwood neighborhood, and on the west by Rhode Island Route 10.

In colonial days this area was traversed by major roads connecting central Providence with its rural hinterland, such as Cranston and Westminster Streets, and these roads provided the focus for local settlement, primarily a farming area, the first urban development in the West End occured in the early 1700's at the intersection of Cranston and Westminster. After the revolution, Providence continued to grow in population and importance, and the downtown area spread into the West End neighborhood. With this expansion new roads were platted and farms were subdivided into smaller lots.

Today, the West End is a heterogenous neighborhood with a good balance of land uses. Primarily residential, this area is diverse in its size and type of home, as well as the selection of institutional, recreational, and commercial services.

In 1970, the population of the West End was 13,528 with a racial and ethnic composition of 80.9% White, 17.7% Black and 1.3% Spanish speaking and other groups. Between the years of 1960-1970, there was a net decrease of 4154 (27.9%) coupled with an increase of 727 (37.6%) non-whites. The total foreign stock population for the West End numbered 3690, with four most frequent countries of origin being Italy (41.5%), Canada (19.1%), United Kingdom (10.1%) and Ireland (7.2%). English is the predominantly spoken language.

Between the years 1960 and 1970 the median income for all families rose from $4,657 to $6,637, an increase of 42.5%. In 1970, the median income for all unrelated individuals was $1840.00. In 1960, 3908 (93.5%) of the West End male population fourteen years and older was employed in the civilian labor force as opposed to 2518 (91.6%) of the female population. By 1970 the percentage of males sixteen years and older had increased to 2898 (96.6) and 2128 (93.0) for the female population. The unemployment rates for 1960 and 1970 were 7.45% and 5.25% respectively.

With an unemployment rate of 5.25% in the West End, in 1970 356 (10.0%) of the neighborhood's families were receiving public assistance as were 905 (51.5%) of all unrelated individuals. Between the years 1972 and 1977, the number of AFDC recipients changed from 766 to 806 which corresponds to 14.1% and 13.4% of the number of cases for the City of Providence.

The general housing indicators for the West End have shown variation between 1960 and 1970. The number of owner occupied units was 1476 and 1960 and 1169 in 1970. During this same timespan, the number of renter occupied units changed from 4252 to 2790 with a vacancy rate increase from 7.7% to 10.7%. In 1970, the median value of occupied units was $10,533 and the median rate $86.00. In 1975, the number of units in need of substantial rehabilitation in the West End totalled 3353 (79.0%). Between 1960 and 1970, the total number of rented units decreased from 4211 to 3763 with a change in rents from $76.00 to $86.00. In 1970 the breakdown of the age of housing as a percentage of the number of housing units appeared as follows: 5% built between 1969 and 1970; 4.6% 1965 to 1960; .3% 1960 to 1964; 2.8% 1950 to 1959; 5.4% 1940 to 1949; and 86.4% constructed prior to 1939. Also in 1970 there were 2301 households with one automobile, 647 with two and 61 with three or more. Twelve-hundred ninety households were listed as having none at all. The median years of education completed in 1970 by persons twenty-five years and older was 9.9 for the total population.

Currently there are 507 eighth through eleventh graders in the West End which is a part of the Central High School feeder pattern. Of these 507 students, there are 246 (48.5%) Whites, 178 (35.1%) Blacks, and 83 (16.4%) Hispanic and other. With an enrollment of 507, the West End ranks 2nd in total High School student enrollment. At the present time, there are 7 bus routes directly to Central/Classical, with none to Hope or Mount Pleasant.

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A.1 - 1960, 1975: TOTAL POPULATION BY 5 YEAR INTERVALS				
POPULATION	YEAR			
	1960	1965	1970	1975
NUMBER	16,855	14,322	13,528	12,074
% OF TOTAL POPULATION OF PROVIDENCE	8.4	8.0	7.5	7.3

A.2 - 1960, 1970: POPULATION BY WHITE AND NON-WHITE		
POPULATION	YEAR	
	1960	1970
WHITE	14,904	10,850
NON-WHITE	1,951	2,678

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A.3 - 1960, 1970 CENSUS: POPULATION BY RACE AND SPANISH LANGUAGE

YEAR	TOTAL POPULATION	WHITE		NON-WHITE		BLACK		SPANISH LANGUAGE	
		#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%
1960	16855	14904	88.4	1951	11.6	1869	11.1	N/A	N/A
1970	13528	10850	80.2	2678	19.8	2406	17.8	174	1.3
1960-1970 Increase (+) Decrease (-)		-4054	-27.2	+727	+37.3	+537	+28.7	N/A	N/A
% Change in Proportional Distribution		-8.2		+8.2		+6.7		N/A	

A.4 - 1970 CENSUS: FERTILITY RATIO BY POPULATION	
Total Population	112.6

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A.5 - 1970 CENSUS: PERSONS 25 YEARS OF AGE AND OVER BY RACE AND YEARS OF SCHOOL COMPLETED

LEVEL AND YEARS OF SCHOOL COMPLETED	TOTAL POPULATION		WHITE		BLACK		OTHER	
	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%
NO SCHOOL YEAR COMPLETED	314	4.0	280	4.3	34	2.8	-	-
ELEMENTARY: 1-4 YEARS	324	4.1	275	4.2	35	2.9	14	10.1
5-7 YEARS	1437	18.3	1252	19.3	170	14.0	15	10.9
8 YEARS	1189	15.1	1041	16.0	123	10.1	25	18.1
HIGH SCHOOL: 1-3 YEARS	2287	29.2	1839	28.3	421	34.7	27	19.6
4 YEARS	1821	23.2	1399	21.6	373	30.8	49	35.5
COLLEGE: 1-3 YEARS	236	3.0	197	3.0	31	2.6	8	5.8
4 YEARS OR MORE	232	3.0	206	3.2	26	2.1	-	-
TOTAL	7840	100.0	6489	100.0	1213	100.0	138	100.0

A.6 - 1970 CENSUS: MEDIAN SCHOOL YEARS COMPLETED
TOTAL POPULATION
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A.7 - 1970 CENSUS: NATIVITY AND PARENTAGE

NATIVITY	TOTAL POPULATION	
	#	%
NATIVE OF NATIVE PARENT	9776	72.6
FOREIGN STOCK	3690	27.4
TOTAL	13,466	100.0

A.8 - 1970 CENSUS: MOST FREQUENT COUNTRY OF ORIGIN OF FOREIGN STOCK

COUNTRY OF ORIGIN	# OF PERSONS	% FOREIGN STOCK POPULATION
ITALY	1535	41.6
CANADA	706	19.1
UNITED KINGDOM	378	10.2
IRELAND	266	7.2

A.9 - 1970 CENSUS: SPANISH POPULATION INDICATORS

INDICATORS	# OF PERSONS	% OF TOTAL POPULATION
SPANISH LANGUAGE	174	1.3

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B.1 - 1970 CENSUS: NUMBER OF EMPLOYED PERSONS 16 YEARS OLD AND OVER BY OCCUPATION

OCCUPATION	1960[1]		1970							
	TOTAL PERSONS EMPLOYED		TOTAL PERSONS EMPLOYED		WHITE		BLACK		SPANISH	
	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%
Professional, Technical and Kindred Workers	319	5.4	334	6.6	295	7.1	33	4.2	21	47.7
Managers and Administrators Except Farm	321	5.4	160	3.2	137	3.3	17	2.2	7	15.9
Sales Workers	348	5.9	253	5.0	220	5.3	33	4.2	-	-
Clerical and Kindred Workers	905	15.3	865	17.2	691	16.6	174	22.2	-	-
Craftsmen, Foremen and Kindred Workers	941	15.9	688	13.7	565	13.5	110	10.4	-	-
Operatives, Except Transport	2070	35.0	1468	29.3	1290	30.9	174	22.2	16	36.4
Transport Equipment Operatives	28	0.5	243	4.8	237	5.7	6	0.7	-	-
Laborers, Except Farm	280	4.7	311	6.2	221	5.3	65	8.3	-	-
Farmers and Farm Managers	-	-	14	0.3	14	0.3	10	1.3	-	-
Farm Laborers and Foremen										
Service Workers, Except Private Household	596	10.1	618	12.3	486	11.6	110	10.4	-	-
Private Household Workers	106	1.8	63	1.2	12	0.3	51	6.5	-	-
TOTAL	5914	100.0	5017	100.0	4168		783		44	100.0

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[1] 1960 data listed for persons 14 years old and over.

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B.2 - 1960 CENSUS: EMPLOYMENT STATUS, MALES 14 YEARS AND OVER (CIVILIAN LABOR FORCE)

STATUS	TOTAL	
	#	%
EMPLOYED	3908	93.5
UNEMPLOYED	270	6.5

B.3 - 1960 CENSUS: EMPLOYMENT STATUS, FEMALES 14 YEARS AND OVER (CIVILIAN LABOR FORCE)

STATUS	TOTAL	
	#	%
EMPLOYED	2518	91.6
UNEMPLOYED	230	8.4

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B.4 - 1970 CENSUS: EMPLOYMENT STATUS BY RACE OF MALES 16 YEARS AND OVER (CIVILIAN LABOR FORCE)

STATUS	POPULATION		WHITE		BLACK	
	#	%	#	%	#	%
EMPLOYED	2898	96.6	2438	96.8	411	94.7
UNEMPLOYED	109	3.6	88	3.5	23	5.3
TOTAL	2999	100.0	2521	100.0	434	100.0

B.5 - 1970 CENSUS: EMPLOYMENT STATUS BY RACE OF FEMALES 16 YEARS AND OVER (CIVILIAN LABOR FORCE)

STATUS	POPULATION		WHITE		BLACK	
	#	%	#	%	#	%
EMPLOYED	2128	93.0	1731	92.3	378	96.4
UNEMPLOYED	158	6.9	145	7.7	14	3.6
TOTAL	2288	100.0	1876	100.0	392	100.0

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B.6 - 1960, 1970 CENSUS: MEDIAN INCOME

6.1 1960 MEDIAN INCOME [1]

YEAR	ALL FAMILIES AND UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS
1960	$3921

6.2 1970 MEDIAN INCOME

YEAR	ALL FAMILIES	ALL UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS
1970	$6,637	$1,840

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1) 1960 Median Income Data is not disaggregated by families and unrelated individuals.

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B.7 - 1970 CENSUS: PERSONS BELOW POVERTY LEVEL

TOTAL POPULATION		
# PERSONS	% OF NEIGHBORHOOD POPULATION	% OF TOTAL POPULATION OF PROVIDENCE BELOW POVERTY LEVEL
3610	26.7	11.2

B.8 - 1970 CENSUS: NUMBER OF RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 IN FAMILIES BELOW POVERTY LEVEL BY RACE

TOTAL POPULATION			WHITE		BLACK		OTHER	
# PERSONS	% OF NEIGHBORHOOD POPULATION BELOW 18 YEARS	% OF RELATED CHILDREN IN PROVIDENCE UNDER 18 YEARS, BELOW POVERTY LEVEL	#	%	#	%	#	%
1520	35.9	13.7	908	59.7	288	18.9	324	21.3

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B.9 - 1972-1977: DECEMBER AFDC CASES

YEAR	NUMBER OF CASES	% OF CASES IN PROVIDENCE
1972	766	14.1
1973	797	14.8
1974	839	15.1
1975	832	14.5
1976	841	14.5
1977	806	13.4

B. 10 - 1970 CENSUS: FAMILIES RECEIVING PUBLIC ASSISTANCE

# FAMILIES RECEIVING PUBLIC ASSISTANCE	% OF ALL FAMILIES IN NEIGHBORHOOD	% OF FAMILIES IN PROVIDENCE RECEIVING PUBLIC ASSISTANCE
356	16.8	10.0

B.11 - 1970 CENSUS: UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS RECEIVING PUBLIC ASSISTANCE

# PERSONS	% OF UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS IN NEIGHBORHOOD	% OF TOTAL UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS RECEIVING PUBLIC ASSISTANCE IN PROVIDENCE
905	51.5	4.9

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C.1 - 1975: TOTAL HOUSING, VACANCY RATE, AND UNITS IN NEED OF SUBSTANTIAL REHABILITATION

Characteristics	Number
Total Housing Units	4244
Vacancy Rate	2.8%
% of Units in Need of Substantial Rehabilitation *	79.0

* The need for "substantial rehabilitation" was determined by the Department of Planning and Urban Development based on a survey which considered structural factors including: Foundation, Exterior Shell, Porches and Stairs, Gutters and Down Spouts, Doors and Windows, Roof and Chimney.

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C.2 - 1970 CENSUS: UNITS IN STRUCTURE AS A PERCENTAGE OF NEIGHBORHOOD'S HOUSING STRUCTURES

	1970	
NUMBER OF UNITS IN STRUCTURE	#	%
1 (INCLUDES MOBILE HOME/ TRAILER)	535	9.7
2	1,455	26.3
3 AND 4	2,335	42.3
5 TO 49	1,179	21.3
50 AND OVER	21	0.4
TOTAL YEAR-ROUND HOUSING UNITS	5,525	100.0

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C.3 - 1970 CENSUS: AGE OF NEIGHBORHOOD HOUSING AS A PERCENTAGE OF TOTAL NEIGHBORHOOD HOUSING UNITS

AGE OF HOUSING	#	%
1969 TO MARCH 1970	28	0.5
1965 TO 1968	252	4.6
1960 TO 1964	16	0.3
1950 TO 1959	156	2.8
1940 TO 1949	301	5.4
1939 AND EARLIER	4,772	86.4
TOTAL	5,525	100.0

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C.4 - 1960, 1970 CENSUS: HOUSING UNITS BY OWNER AND RENTER

	1960	1970	Net Change 1960-1970
Total Housing Units	6206	5546	- 660
Owner Occupied	1476	1169	- 307
Renter Occupied	4252	3790	- 462
Vacancy Rate	7.7%	10.7%	+ 40.0%

C.5 - 1970 CENSUS: MEDIAN VALUE OR RENT OF OCCUPIED UNITS

STATUS	1970
Median Value	$10,533
Median Rent	$57

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C.6 - 1960, 1970 CENSUS: RENTER-OCCUPIED AS A PERCENTAGE OF NEIGHBORHOOD'S RENTED UNITS

	1960		1970	
	#	%	#	%
Total - Rented Units	4211	100.0	3763	100.0
Less Than $40	520	12.3	65	1.7
$40 to $59	1757	41.7	498	13.2
$60 to $79	1485	35.3	1071	28.5
$80 to $99	414	9.8	935	24.8
$100 to $149	35	.8	991	26.3
$150 and Over	-	-	125	3.3
No Cash Rents	-	-	78	2.1
Median Rent	$76	-	$86	-

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C. 7 - 1970 CENSUS: VALUE OF OWNER OCCUPIED HOUSING BY HEAD OF HOUSEHOLD

	TOTAL OWNER OCCUPIED UNITS	
SINGLE FAMILY	#	%
Less Than $5,000	29	8.8
$5,000 - $7,499	53	16.1
$7,500 - $9,999	73	22.2
$10,000 - $14,999	124	37.7
$15,000 - $19,999	35	10.6
$20,000 - $24,999	12	3.6
$25,000 - $34,999	3	.9
$35,000 - $49,999	0	.0
$50,000 and over	0	.0
TOTAL	329	100.0

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C.8 - 1960, 1970 CENSUS: DENSITY OF RESIDENCE WITHIN HOUSING UNIT

	1960		1970	
	#	%	#	%
TOTAL NUMBER OF OCCUPIED UNITS	5678	100.0	4959	100.0
ROOMS WITH 1.00 PERSONS OR LESS	5296	93.3	4638	93.5
ROOMS WITH 1.01 PERSONS OR MORE	382	6.7	321	6.5
MEDIAN PERSONS PER OCCUPIED UNIT	2.5	-	2.2	-

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C. 9 -1970 CENSUS: NUMBER OF AUTOMOBILES AVAILABLE BY HOUSEHOLD

Automobiles	# Households
One	2301
Two	647
Three or More	61
None	1290

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C. 10 1975 DISTRIBUTION OF LAND USE BY NEIGHBORHOOD

LAND USE CATEGORY	LAND AREA IN SQ. FT.	% OF TOTAL AREA
Undeveloped Land and Water Areas	1,600,925	10.6
Residential Uses (Total)	9,107,936	60.0
One Family	1,352,095	8.9
Two Family	2,599,344	17.1
Three Family	2,659,560	17.5
Multi-Family	1,999,743	13.1
Other	497,194	3.2
Manufacturing	899,853	5.9
Transportation, Communication and Utilities	768,360	5.1
Trade (Total)	450,523	3.0
Wholesale	27,298	0.2
Retail	423,225	2.8
General Services	669,872	4.4
Institutional and Governmental Services (Total)	800,117	5.3
Education (Nursery, Primary and Secondary)	269,671	1.8
Educational Services (other)	--	--
Religious Services	253,968	1.7
Medical and Health Services	77,171	0.5
Government	167,312	1.1
Other (Service Organizations, Cemeteries, etc.)	31,995	0.2
Cultural, Entertainment, and Recreation Services	868,097	5.7
Resource Production and Extraction	--	--
Totals	15,165,683	100.0

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D. 1 - 1966-1974: NET EFFECT OF RESIDENT BIRTHS AND DEATHS

YEAR	BIRTHS	% OF CITY BIRTHS	DEATHS	% OF CITY DEATHS	NET EFFECT
1966	331	10.1	190	7.2	+141
1967	284	9.0	223	8.4	+61
1968	300	9.6	206	7.7	+94
1969	298	9.6	192	7.9	+106
1970	297	9.4	183	7.5	+114
1971	325	11.2	185	7.7	+140
1972	251	10.0	187	8.2	+64
1973	234	9.9	178	7.5	+56
1974	239	11.3	172	8.1	+67
TOTALS	2559	-	1716	-	+843
5 YR. AVERAGE 1970-74	269.2	10.4	181.0	39.0	+88.2

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D.2 - 1970-1974: SELECTED HEALTH INDICES: MORTALITY

	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	5 YEAR AVERAGE
eaths by Cause						
Malignant Neoplasms	32	35	31	42	29	33.8
Lung	13	9	5	6	11	8.8
Breast	3	1	3	4	2	2.6
Cervix	1	1	-	-	-	0.2
Colon & Rectum	8	1	2	4	2	3.4
Diabetes Mellitus	5	9	4	9	1	5.6
Cadiovascular Disease	96	89	98	89	89	92.2
Heart Disease (All Forms)	76	69	76	64	50	67.0
Myocardial Infarction	30	34	47	35	31	35.4
Chronic Ischemic Heart Dis.	26	28	21	26	32	26.6
Cerebrovascular Disease	15	12	17	19	15	15.6
Respiratory Disease	12	10	13	9	18	12.4
Pneumonia/Influenza	7	7	8	7	8	7.4
Emphysema	1	2	-	-	4	1.4
Gastrointestinal Disease	11	11	10	8	5	9.0
Cirrhosis of the Liver	3	4	2	2	3	2.8
External Causes	12	14	16	11	13	13.2
Motor Vehicle Accidents	5	1	6	4	4	4.0

otal Deaths	183	185	187	178	172	60.3
Mean Age at Death	66.0	63.3	62.6	68.4	66.6	65.4
Infant Deaths	4	14	9	-	7	2.3
Number Age 65 and Over	115	116	117	124	121	197.6

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D.3 - 1970-1974: SELECTED HEALTH INDICIES: NATALITY

INDICIES	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	Five Year Average
LIVE BIRTHS	297	325	251	234	239	269.2
NEWBORNS WEIGHING BELOW 2500 GRAMS (5½ LBS.)	39	49	33	21	24	33.2
BIRTHS TO MOTHERS UNDER AGE 20	73	76	65	58	61	66.6
BIRTHS TO MOTHERS AGE 35 AND OVER	30	16	18	12	9	17.0
BIRTHS OF PARITY GREATER THAN 3	72	62	42	32	31	47.8

D.4 - 1977: ADMISSIONS AND RATE/THOUSAND TO PROVIDENCE MENTAL HEALTH CENTER

ADMISSIONS	RATE/THOUSAND	% OF NEIGHBORHOOD POPULATION
187	13.8	1.4

E.1 - 1972, 1973: FAMILY COURT HEARINGS OTHER THAN WAYWARD/DELINQUENT (MOTOR VEHILCE VIOLATIONS EXCLUDED), MALE AND FEMALE CHILDREN

MALE CHILDREN	1973 # CASES	 % CITY CASES	1972 # CASES	 % CITY CASES
NEW	20	8.4	25	9.0
REPEATERS	35	10.9	23	8.5
VIOLATORS OF PROBATION	35	12.7	51	14.8

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FEMALE CHILDREN	1973 # CASES	 % CITY CASES	1972 # CASES	 % CITY CASES
NEW	11	13.8	11	11.6
REPEATERS	5	10.6	2	4.6
VIOLATORS OF PROBATION	6	16.6	2	8.3

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TOTAL CHILDREN	1973 # CASES	 % CITY CASES	1972 # CASES	 % CITY CASES
NEW	31	9.7	36	9.7
REPEATERS	40	10.9	25	7.9
VIOLATORS OF PROBATION	41	13.1	53	14.4

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E. 2 - 1972, 1973: NON-JUDICIAL MOTOR VEHICLE VIOLATIONS ONLY

	1973		1972	
MALE CHILDREN	# CASES	% CITY CASES	# CASES	% CITY CASES
NEW	2	2.5	5	6.2
REPEATERS	1	6.6	-	-
VIOLATORS OF PROBATION	-	-	1	100.0

	1973		1972	
FEMALE CHILDREN	# CASES	% CITY CASES	# CASES	% CITY CASES
NEW	-	-	-	-
REPEATERS	-	-	-	-
VIOLATORS OF PROBATION	-	-	-	-

	1973		1972	
TOTAL CHILDREN	# CASES	% CITY CASES	# CASES	% CITY CASES
NEW	2	2.2	5	5.4
REPEATERS	1	6.2	-	-
VIOLATORS OF PROBATION	-	-	1	100.0

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E.3 - 1972, 1973: NON-JUDICIAL - OTHER THAN WAYWARD/DELINQUENT
(MOTOR VEHICLE VIOLATIONS EXCLUDED)

MALE CHILDREN	1973 # CASES	1973 % CITY CASES	1972 # CASES	1972 % CITY CASES
NEW	8	21.6	-	-
REPEATERS	2	13.3	-	-
VIOLATORS OF PROBATION	-	-	-	-

FEMALE CHILDREN	1973 # CASES	1973 % CITY CASES	1972 # CASES	1972 % CITY CASES
NEW	1	4.5	2	18.1
REPEATERS	-	-	-	-
VIOLATORS OF PROBATION	-	-	-	-

TOTAL CHILDREN	1973 # CASES	1973 % CITY CASES	1972 # CASES	1972 % CITY CASES
NEW	9	15.2	2	6.1
REPEATERS	2	11.7	-	-
VIOLATORS OF PROBATION	-	-	-	-

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E.4 - 1972, 1973: HEARINGS - MOTOR VEHICLE VIOLATIONS ONLY

MALE CHILDREN	1973 # CASES	1973 % CITY CASES	1972 # CASES	1972 % CITY CASES
NEW	6	9.2	3	4.3
REPEATERS	7	11.8	1	1.9
VIOLATORS OF PROBATION	5	14.2	4	11.1

FEMALE CHILDREN	1973 # CASES	1973 % CITY CASES	1972 # CASES	1972 % CITY CASES
NEW	-	-	1	7.6
REPEATERS	1	33.3	-	-
VIOLATORS OF PROBATION	-	-	-	-

TOTAL CHILDREN	1973 # CASES	1973 % CITY CASES	1972 # CASES	1972 % CITY CASES
NEW	6	8.3	4	4.8
REPEATERS	8.	12.9	1	1.8
VIOLATORS OF PROBATION	5	14.2	4	10.3

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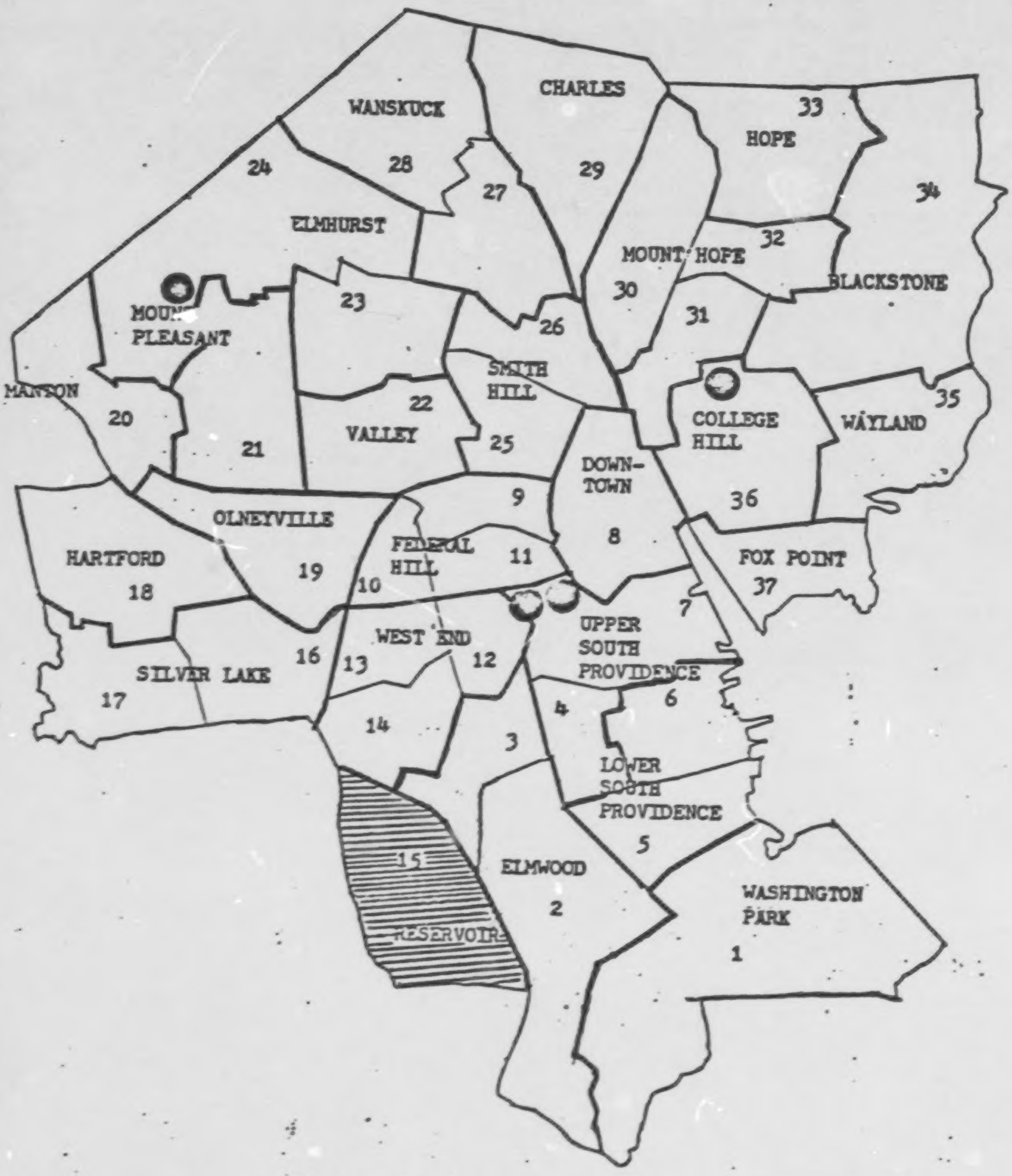
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The Reservoir neighborhood, located in the southwestern portion of the City of Providence, is composed of census tract 15. This is a rather isolated neighborhood which is bordered on the north and east by the old Penn Central railroad tracks, and on the south and west by the City of Cranston.

The first substantial development in this area occurred in the early 19th century, when industry began to appreciate the potential of the area surrounding Mashapaug Pond, which is the dominant resource of the neighborhood. Besides the appearance of industry, this time period also brought the construction of a mixed housing stock.

Like many areas on the west side of Providence, Reservoir experienced a high degree of deterioration in the first half of the twentieth century. Due to this deterioration much attention was focussed on the neighborhood in terms of renewal efforts. The major effort was the Mashapaug Pond Redevelopment Project, through which a large number of homes on the northern side of Mashapaug Pond were cleared, and the Dupont Drive industrial park created. The displacement caused by this renewal effort brought about a substantial decrease in the local population.

Today, manufacturing remains the predominant activity in this neighborhood, with trade also playing an important role. Reservoir appears to be reaching a level of stability, with no major development project presently planned.

In 1970, the population of Reservoir was 2796 with a racial and ethnic composition of 99.5% White, 0.2% Black and 0.3% Spanish speaking. Between the years 1960-1970, there was a net decrease of 581 whites (17.3%) coupled with a decrease of 462 (98.1%) non-whites. In 1970, the total foreign stock population for Reservoir numbered 889. The four most frequent countries of origin were United Kingdom (16.9%), Canada (12.8%), Ireland (11.9%), and Italy (11.0%). English is the predominantly spoken language.

Between the years 1960 and 1970 the median income for all families rose from $5,398 to $10,724, an increase of 98.7%. In 1970, the median income for all unrelated individuals was $3,045. In 1960, 922 (95.9%) of the Reservoir male population fourteen years and older was employed in the civilian labor force as opposed to 469 (94.1%) of the female population. By 1970 the percentage of males sixteen years and older had increased to 97.5% (719) and 98.6% (581) for the female population. The unemployment rates for 1960 and 1970 were 4.9% and 1.8% respectively.

In 1970 none of the neighborhood's families were receiving public assistance, however 78 (34.8%) of all unrelated individuals were recipients. Between the years 1972 and 1977, the number of AFDC recipients changed from 24 to 55 which corresponds to 0.4% and 0.9% of the number of cases for the City of Providence.

The general housing indicators for Reservoir have shown variation between 1960 and 1970. The number of owner occupied units was 778 in 1960 and 590 in 1970. During this same timespan, the number of renter occupied units changed from 487 to 365 with a vacancy rate decrease from 3.6% to 2.9%. In 1970, the median value of occupied units was $15,300.00 and the median rent was $110.00. In 1975, the number of units in need of substantial rehabilitation in Reservoir totalled 476 (51.2%). Between 1960 and 1970, the total number of rented units decreased from 470 to 365 with the corresponding change in rent from $70.00 to $110.00. In 1970 the breakdown of the age of housing as a percentage of the number of housing units appeared as follows: 0.4% built between 1969 and 1970; 1.7% 1965 to 1968; 1.0% 1960 to 1964; 6.5% 1950 to 1959; 3.4% 1940 to 1949; and 86.4% constructed prior to 1939. Also in 1970 there were 467 households with one automobile, 244 with two and 53 with three or more. One hundred ninety-one households were listed as having none at all. The median years of education completed in 1970 by persons twenty-five years and older was 11.6 for the total population.

Currently there are 58 eighth through eleventh graders in Reservoir which is a part of the Central High School feeder pattern. Of these 58 students, there are 51 (87.9%) Whites, 1 (1.7%) Blacks and 6 (10.3%) Portuguese and other. With an enrollment of 58, Reservoir ranks 22nd in total high school enrollment. At the present time, there is one bus route directly to Central/Classical, with none to Hope or Mount Pleasant.

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A.1 - 1960, 1975: TOTAL POPULATION BY 5 YEAR INTERVALS

POPULATION	YEAR			
	1960	1965	1970	1975
NUMBER	3,839	2,718	2,796	2,858
% OF TOTAL POPULATION OF PROVIDENCE	1.9	1.5	1.6	1.7

A.2 - 1960, 1970: POPULATION BY WHITE AND NON-WHITE

POPULATION	YEAR	
	1960	1970
WHITE	3,368	2,787
NON-WHITE	471	9

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A.3 - 1960, 1970 CENSUS: POPULATION BY RACE AND SPANISH LANGUAGE

YEAR	TOTAL POPULATION	WHITE		NON-WHITE		BLACK		SPANISH LANGUAGE	
		#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%
1960	3839	3368	87.7	471	12.3	454	11.8	N/A	N/A
1970	2796	2787	99.7	9	0.3	6	0.2	42	1.5
1960-1970 Increase (+) Decrease (-)		-581	-17.3	+462	+98.1	-448	-98.7	N/A	N/A
% Change in Proportional Distribution		-12.0		+12.0		-11.6		N/A	

A.4 - 1970 CENSUS: FERTILITY RATIO BY POPULATION	
Total Population	82.1

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A.5 - 1970 CENSUS: PERSONS 25 YEARS OF AGE AND OVER BY RACE AND YEARS OF SCHOOL COMPLETED

LEVEL AND YEARS OF SCHOOL COMPLETED	TOTAL POPULATION		WHITE		BLACK		OTHER	
	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%
NO SCHOOL YEAR COMPLETED	18	1.0	18	1.0	-	-	-	-
ELEMENTARY: 1-4 YEARS	12	0.7	12	0.7	-	-	-	-
5-7 YEARS	191	11.1	191	11.1	-	-	-	-
8 YEARS	206	11.9	202	11.8	-	-	4	44.4
HIGH SCHOOL: 1-3 YEARS	497	28.8	497	28.9	-	-	-	-
4 YEARS	572	33.1	572	33.3	-	-	-	-
COLLEGE: 1-3 YEARS	161	9.3	161	9.4	-	-	-	-
4 YEARS OR MORE	69	4.0	64	3.7	-	-	5	55.6
TOTAL	1726	99.9	1717	99.9	-	-	9	100.0

A.6 - 1970 CENSUS: MEDIAN SCHOOL YEARS COMPLETED

TOTAL POPULATION
11.6

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A.7 - 1970 CENSUS: NATIVITY AND PARENTAGE

NATIVITY	TOTAL POPULATION	
	#	%
NATIVE OF NATIVE PARENT	1907	68.9
FOREIGN STOCK	889	31.2
TOTAL	2796	100.0

A.8 - 1970 CENSUS: MOST FREQUENT COUNTRY OF ORIGIN OF FOREIGN STOCK

COUNTRY OF ORIGIN	# OF PERSONS	% FOREIGN STOCK POPULATION
UNITED KINGDOM	150	16.9
CANADA	114	12.8
IRELAND	106	11.9
ITALY	98	11.0

A.9 - 1970 CENSUS: SPANISH POPULATION INDICATORS

INDICATORS	# OF PERSONS	% OF TOTAL POPULATION
SPANISH LANGUAGE	42	1.5

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B.1 - 1970 CENSUS: NUMBER OF EMPLOYED PERSONS 16 YEARS OLD AND OVER BY OCCUPATION

OCCUPATION	1960[1] TOTAL PERSONS EMPLOYED #	%	1970 TOTAL PERSONS EMPLOYED #	%	WHITE #	%	BLACK #	%	SPANISH #	%
Professional, Technical and Kindred Workers	91	7.1	144	11.0	139	10.8			-	-
Managers and Administrators Except Farm	98	7.6	71	5.4	71	5.5			-	-
Sales Workers	118	9.2	95	7.3	91	7.0			-	-
Clerical and Kindred Workers	270	21.0	273	21.0	273	21.1			9	-
Craftsmen, Foremen and Kindred Workers	186	14.5	129	9.9	129	10.0	N/A		-	-
Operatives, Except Transport	296	23.0	257	19.7	257	19.9			10	-
Transport Equipment Operatives	12	0.9	50	3.8	50	3.9			-	-
Laborers, Except Farm	52	4.0	41	3.1	41	3.2			-	-
Farmers and Farm Managers	-	-	-	-	-	-			-	-
Farm Laborers and Foremen										
Service Workers, Except Private Household	147	11.4	237	18.2	237	18.4			-	-
Private Household Workers	16	1.2	3	0.2	3	0.2			-	-
TOTAL	1286	100.0	1300	100.0	1291	100.0			19	100.0

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[1] 1960 data listed for persons 14 years old and over.

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B. 2 - 1960 CENSUS: EMPLOYMENT STATUS, MALE 14 YEARS AND OVER (CIVILIAN LABOR FORCE)

STATUS	TOTAL	
	#	%
EMPLOYED	922	95.9
UNEMPLOYED	39	4.1

B. 3 - 1960 CENSUS: EMPLOYMENT STATUS, FEMALE 14 YEARS AND OVER (CIVILIAN LABOR FORCE)

STATUS	TOTAL	
	#	%
EMPLOYED	469	94.1
UNEMPLOYED	29	5.8

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B. 4 - 1970 CENSUS: EMPLOYMENT STATUS BY RACE/SEX OF MALES 16 YEARS AND OVER (CIVILIAN LABOR FORCE)

STATUS	POPULATION		WHITE		BLACK	
	#	%	#	%	#	%
EMPLOYED	719	97.5	714	97.5	-	-
UNEMPLOYED	18	2.5	18	2.5	-	-
TOTAL	737	100.0	732	100.0	-	-

B. 5 - 1970 CENSUS: EMPLOYMENT STATUS BY RACE/SEX OF FEMALES 16 YEARS AND OVER (CIVILIAN LABOR FORCE)

STATUS	POPULATION		WHITE		BLACK	
	#	%	#	%	#	%
EMPLOYED	581	98.6	577	98.6	-	-
UNEMPLOYED	8	1.4	8	1.4		
TOTAL	589	100.0	585	100.1	-	-

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B.6 - 1960, 1970 CENSUS: MEDIAN INCOME

6.1 1960 MEDIAN INCOME [1]

YEAR	ALL FAMILIES AND UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS
1960	$4890

6.2 1970 MEDIAN INCOME

YEAR	ALL FAMILIES	ALL UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS
1970	$10,724	$3,045

1) 1960 Median Income Data is not disaggregated by families and unrelated individuals.

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B.9 - 1972-1977: DECEMBER AFDC CASES

YEAR	NUMBER OF CASES	% OF CASES IN PROVIDENCE
1972	24	0.4
1973	33	0.6
1974	45	0.8
1975	45	0.8
1976	57	1.0
1977	55	0.9

B. 10 - 1970 CENSUS: FAMILIES RECEIVING PUBLIC ASSISTANCE

# FAMILIES RECEIVING PUBLIC ASSISTANCE	% OF ALL FAMILIES IN NEIGHBORHOOD	% OF FAMILIES IN PROVIDENCE RECEIVING PUBLIC ASSISTANCE
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B.11 - 1970 CENSUS: UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS RECEIVING PUBLIC ASSISTANCE

# PERSONS	% OF UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS IN NEIGHBORHOOD	% OF TOTAL UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS RECEIVING PUBLIC ASSISTANCE IN PROVIDENCE
78	34.8	0.4

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C.1 - 1975: TOTAL HOUSING, VACANCY RATE, AND UNITS IN NEED OF SUBSTANTIAL REHABILITATION

Characteristics	Number
Total Housing Units	930
Vacancy Rate	.75%
% of Units in Need of Substantial Rehabilitation *	51.2

* The need for "substantial rehabilitation" was determined by the Department of Planning and Urban Development based on a survey which considered structural factors including: Foundation, Exterior Shell, Porches and Stairs, Gutters and Down Spouts, Doors and Windows, Roof and Chimney.

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C.2 - 1970 CENSUS: UNITS IN STRUCTURE AS A PERCENTAGE OF NEIGHBORHOOD'S HOUSING STRUCTURES		
	1970	
NUMBER OF UNITS IN STRUCTURE	#	%
1 (INCLUDES MOBILE HOME/ TRAILER)	437	44.4
2	321	32.6
3 AND 4	216	21.9
5 TO 49	11	1.1
50 AND OVER	0	0.0
TOTAL YEAR-ROUND HOUSING UNITS	985	100.0

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C. 3 - 1970 CENSUS: AGE OF NEIGHBORHOOD HOUSING AS A PERCENTAGE OF TOTAL NEIGHBORHOOD HOUSING UNITS, 1970

TOTAL HOUSING	985	
	#	%
1969 TO MARCH 1970	4	(0.4)
1965 TO 1968	17	(1.7)
1960 TO 1964	10	(1.0)
1950 TO 1959	64	(6.5)
1940 TO 1949	39	(3.4)
1939 AND EARLIER	851	(86.4)

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C.4 - 1960, 1970 CENSUS: HOUSING UNITS BY OWNER AND RENTER*	1960	1970	Net Change 1960-1970
Total Housing Units	1304	985	- 319
Owner Occupied	778	590	- 188
Renter Occupied	478	365	- 113
Vacancy Rate	3.6%	2.9%	- 19.4%

C.5 - 1970 CENSUS: MEDIAN VALUE OR RENT OF OCCUPIED UNITS

STATUS	1970
Median Value	$15,300
Median Rent	$74

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C.6 - 1960, 1970 CENSUS: RENTER-OCCUPIED AS A PERCENTAGE OF NEIGHBORHOOD'S RENTED UNITS

	1960		1970	
	#	%	#	%
Total - Rented Units	470	100.0	365	100.0
Less Than $40	-	-	-	-
$40 to $59	23	4.9	17	4.7
$60 to $79	105	22.3	22	6.0
$80 to $99	202	43.0	81	22.2
$100 to $149	116	24.7	201	55.1
$150 and Over	24	5.1	18	5.0
No Cash Rents	-	-	26	7.1
Median Rent	$70	-	$110	-

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C.7 - 1970 CENSUS: VALUE OF OWNER OCCUPIED HOUSING BY HEAD OF HOUSEHOLD

SINGLE FAMILY HOUSING	TOTAL OWNER OCCUPIED UNITS	
	#	%
Less than $5,000	0	.0
$5,000 - $7,499	3	.7
$7,500 - $9,999	22	5.3
$10,000 - $14,999	168	40.8
$15,000 - $19,999	183	44.4
$20,000 - $24,999	27	6.6
$25,000 - $34,999	9	2.2
$35,000 - $49,999	0	.0
$50,000 and over	0	.0
TOTAL	412	100.0

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C. 8 - 1960, 1970 CENSUS: DENSITY OF RESIDENCE WITHIN HOUSING UNIT

	1960		1970	
	#	%	#	%
TOTAL NUMBER OF OCCUPIED UNITS	1256	100.0	955	100.0
ROOMS WITH 1.00 PERSONS OR LESS	1182	94.1	918	96.1
ROOMS WITH 1.01 PERSONS OR MORE	74	5.9	37	3.9
MEDIAN PERSONS PER OCCUPIED UNIT	2.7	-	2.5	-

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C. 9 - 1970 CENSUS: NUMBER OF AUTOMOBILES AVAILABLE BY HOUSEHOLD

Automobiles	#Households
One	467
Two	244
Three or More	53
None	191

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C. 10 1975 DISTRIBUTION OF LAND USE BY NEIGHBORHOOD

LAND USE CATEGORY	LAND AREA IN SQ. FT.	% OF TOTAL AREA
Undeveloped Land and Water Areas	733,614	5.9
Residential Uses (Total)	3,706,354	30.0
One Family	2,192,050	17.8
Two Family	899,241	7.3
Three Family	202,948	1.6
Multi-Family	35,912	.3
Other	376,203	3.1
Manufacturing	5,299,878	42.9
Transportation, Communication and Utilities	497,712	4.0
Trade (Total)	1,191,989	9.7
Wholesale	651,135	5.3
Retail	540,854	4.4
General Services	152,058	1.2
Institutional and Governmental Services (Total)	239,480	1.9
Education (Nursery, Primary and Secondary)	36,063	.3
Educational Services (other)	--	--
Religious Services	17,897	.2
Medical and Health Services	--	--
Government	25,020	.1
Other (Service Organizations, Cemeteries, etc.)	160,500	1.3
Cultural, Entertainment, and Recreation Services	504,241	4.1
Resource Production and Extraction	--	--
Totals	12,325,326	100.0

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A.7 - 1970 CENSUS: NATIVITY AND PARENTAGE

NATIVITY	TOTAL POPULATION	
	#	%
NATIVE OF NATIVE PARENT	5444	52.7
FOREIGN STOCK	4893	47.3
TOTAL	10337	100.0

A.8 - 1970 CENSUS: MOST FREQUENT COUNTRY OF ORIGIN OF FOREIGN STOCK

COUNTRY OF ORIGIN	# OF PERSONS	% FOREIGN STOCK POPULATION
ITALY	3707	75.8
CANADA	222	4.5
UNITED KINGDOM	190	3.9
IRELAND	106	2.2

A.9 - 1970 CENSUS: SPANISH POPULATION INDICATORS

INDICATORS	# OF PERSONS	% OF TOTAL POPULATION
SPANISH LANGUAGE	65	0.6

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B.1 - 1970 CENSUS: NUMBER OF EMPLOYED PERSONS 16 YEARS OLD AND OVER BY OCCUPATION

OCCUPATION	1960[1] TOTAL PERSONS EMPLOYED #	1960[1] TOTAL PERSONS EMPLOYED %	1970 TOTAL PERSONS EMPLOYED #	1970 TOTAL PERSONS EMPLOYED %	1970 WHITE #	1970 WHITE %	1970 BLACK #	1970 BLACK %	1970 SPANISH #	1970 SPANISH %
Professional, Technical and Kindred Workers	226	5.6	206	4.5	206	4.5			-	-
Managers and Administrators Except Farm	160	3.9	203	4.5	197	4.3			-	-
Sales Workers	231	5.7	226	5.0	226	5.0			-	-
Clerical and Kindred Workers	666	16.5	909	20.0	909	20.0	N/A		-	-
Craftsmen, Foremen and Kindred Workers	723	17.9	801	17.6	801	17.6			-	-
Operatives, Except Transport	1408	34.9	1312	28.9	1312	28.9			8	100.0
Transport Equipment Operatives	20	0.5	201	4.4	201	4.4			-	-
Laborers, Except Farm	234	5.8	214	4.7	214	4.7			-	-
Farmers and Farm Managers	-	-	-	-	-	-			-	-
Farm Laborers and Foremen										
Service Workers, Except Private Household	345	8.5	457	10.0	457	10.1			-	-
Private Household Workers	16	0.4	18	0.4	18	0.4			-	-
TOTAL	4029	100.0	4547	100.0	4541				8	100.0

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[1] 1960 data listed for persons 14 years old and over.

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B.2 - 1960 CENSUS: EMPLOYMENT STATUS, MALES 14 YEARS AND OVER (CIVILIAN LABOR FORCE)

STATUS	TOTAL	
	#	%
EMPLOYED	2909	95.3
UNEMPLOYED	145	4.7

B.3 - 1960 CENSUS: EMPLOYMENT STATUS, FEMALES 14 YEARS AND OVER (CIVILIAN LABOR FORCE)

STATUS	TOTAL	
	#	%
EMPLOYED	1460	89.7
UNEMPLOYED	168	10.3

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D. 1 - 1966-1974: NET EFFECT OF RESIDENT BIRTHS AND DEATHS

YEAR	BIRTHS	% OF CITY BIRTHS	DEATHS	% OF CITY DEATHS	NET EFFECT
966	32	.97	44	1.7	-12
967	49	1.6	34	1.3	+15
968	44	1.4	32	1.2	+12
969	49	1.6	43	1.8	+6
970	43	1.4	51	2.1	-8
971	45	1.6	45	1.9	0
972	41	1.6	30	1.3	+11
973	37	1.6	27	1.1	+10
974	32	1.5	25	1.2	+7
OTALS	372	-	331	-	+41
YR. AVERAGE 70-74	39.6	1.5	35.6	1.5	+4.0

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D.2 - 1970-1974: SELECTED HEALTH INDICES: MORTALITY

	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	5 YEAR AVERAGE
Deaths by Cause						
Malignant Neoplasms	14	10	3	5	2	6.8
Lung	1	4	1	2	-	1.6
Breast	3	-	-	1	1	1.0
Cervix	-	-	-	-	1	0.2
Colon & Rectum	-	-	-	-	-	-
Diabetes Mellitus	3	1	-	-	-	0.8
Cadiovascular Disease	27	25	16	14	16	19.6
Heart Disease (All Forms)	19	17	10	13	14	14.6
Myocardial Infarction	15	8	6	7	4	8.0
Chronic Ischemic Heart Dis.	4	5	2	5	8	4.8
Cerebrovascular Disease	5	3	4	1	2	3.0
Respiratory Disease	-	2	1	2	2	1.4
Pneumonia/Influenza	-	1	1	2	2	1.2
Emphysema	-	-	-	-	-	-
Gastrointestinal Disease	1	4	2	3	1	2.2
Cirrhosis of the Liver	-	1	-	1	-	0.4
External Causes	2	1	6	2	2	2.6
Motor Vehicle Accidents	1	-	2	1	-	0.8
Total Deaths	51	45	30	27	25	35.6
Mean Age at Death	66.8	69.0	62.3	66.7	75.4	67.8
Infant Deaths	2	2	2	-	-	1.2
Number Age 65 and Over	37	33	18	17	22	25.4

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D.3 - 1970-1974: SELECTED HEALTH INDICIES: NATALITY

INDICIES	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	Five Year Average
LIVE BIRTHS	43	45	41	37	32	39.6
NEWBORNS WEIGHING BELOW 2500 GRAMS (5½ LBS.)	4	3	4	2	1	2.8
BIRTHS TO MOTHERS UNDER AGE 20	1	3	4	4	7	3.8
BIRTHS TO MOTHERS AGE 35 AND OVER	4	1	1	2	-	1.6
BIRTHS OF PARITY GREATER THAN 3	7	2	8	6	2	5.0

D.4 - 1977: ADMISSIONS AND RATE/THOUSAND TO PROVIDENCE MENTAL HEALTH CENTER

ADMISSIONS	RATE/THOUSAND	% OF NEIGHBORHOOD POPULATION
17	6.1	0.6

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E.1 - 1972, 1973: FAMILY COURT HEARINGS OTHER THAN WAYWARD/DELINQUENT (MOTOR VEHICLE VIOLATIONS EXCLUDED). MALE AND FEMALE CHILDREN

	1973		1972	
MALE CHILDREN	# CASES	% CITY CASES	# CASES	% CITY CASES
NEW	2	0.8	5	1.8
REPEATERS	-	-	-	-
VIOLATORS OF PROBATION	-	-	-	-

	1973		1972	
FEMALE CHILDREN	# CASES	% CITY CASES	# CASES	% CITY CASES
NEW	-	-	-	-
REPEATERS	-	-	-	-
VIOLATORS OF PROBATION	1	2.8	-	-

	1973		1972	
TOTAL CHILDREN	# CASES	% CITY CASES	# CASES	% CITY CASES
NEW	2	0.6	5	1.3
REPEATERS	-	-	-	-
VIOLATORS OF PROBATION	1	0.3	-	-

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E.2 - 1972, 1973: NON-JUDICIAL MOTOR VEHICLE VIOLATIONS ONLY

	1973		1972	
MALE CHILDREN	# CASES	% CITY CASES	# CASES	% CITY CASES
NEW	5	6.4	1	1.2
REPEATERS	-	-	-	-
VIOLATORS OF PROBATION	-	-	-	-

	1973		1972	
FEMALE CHILDREN	# CASES	% CITY CASES	# CASES	% CITY CASES
NEW	1	8.3	-	-
REPEATERS	-	-	-	-
VIOLATORS OF PROBATION	-	-	-	-

	1973		1972	
TOTAL CHILDREN	# CASES	% CITY CASES	# CASES	% CITY CASES
NEW	6	6.6	1	1.1
REPEATERS	-	-	-	-
VIOLATORS OF PROBATION	-	-	-	-

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E.3 - 1972, 1973: NON-JUDICIAL - OTHER THAN WAYWARD/DELINQUENT (MOTOR VEHICLE VIOLATIONS EXCLUDED)

MALE CHILDREN	1973 # CASES	1973 % CITY CASES	1972 # CASES	1972 % CITY CASES
NEW	-	-	-	-
REPEATERS	-	-	-	-
VIOLATORS OF PROBATION	-	-	-	-

FEMALE CHILDREN	1973 # CASES	1973 % CITY CASES	1972 # CASES	1972 % CITY CASES
NEW	-	-	-	-
REPEATERS	-	-	-	-
VIOLATORS OF PROBATION	-	-	-	-

TOTAL CHILDREN	1973 # CASES	1973 % CITY CASES	1972 # CASES	1972 % CITY CASES
NEW	-	-	-	-
REPEATERS	-	-	-	-
VIOLATORS OF PROBATION	-	-	-	-

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E.4 - 1972, 1973: HEARINGS - MOTOR VEHICLE VIOLATIONS ONLY

MALE CHILDREN	1973 # CASES	 % CITY CASES	1972 # CASES	 % CITY CASES
NEW	2	3.0	3	4.3
REPEATERS	1	1.6	-	-
VIOLATORS OF PROBATION	-	-	-	-

FEMALE CHILDREN	1973 # CASES	 % CITY CASES	1972 # CASES	 % CITY CASES
NEW	-	-	-	-
REPEATERS	-	-	-	-
VIOLATORS OF PROBATION	-	-	-	-

TOTAL CHILDREN	1973 # CASES	 % CITY CASES	1972 # CASES	 % CITY CASES
NEW	2	2.7	3	3.6
REPEATERS	1	1.6	-	-
VIOLATORS OF PROBATION	-	-	-	-

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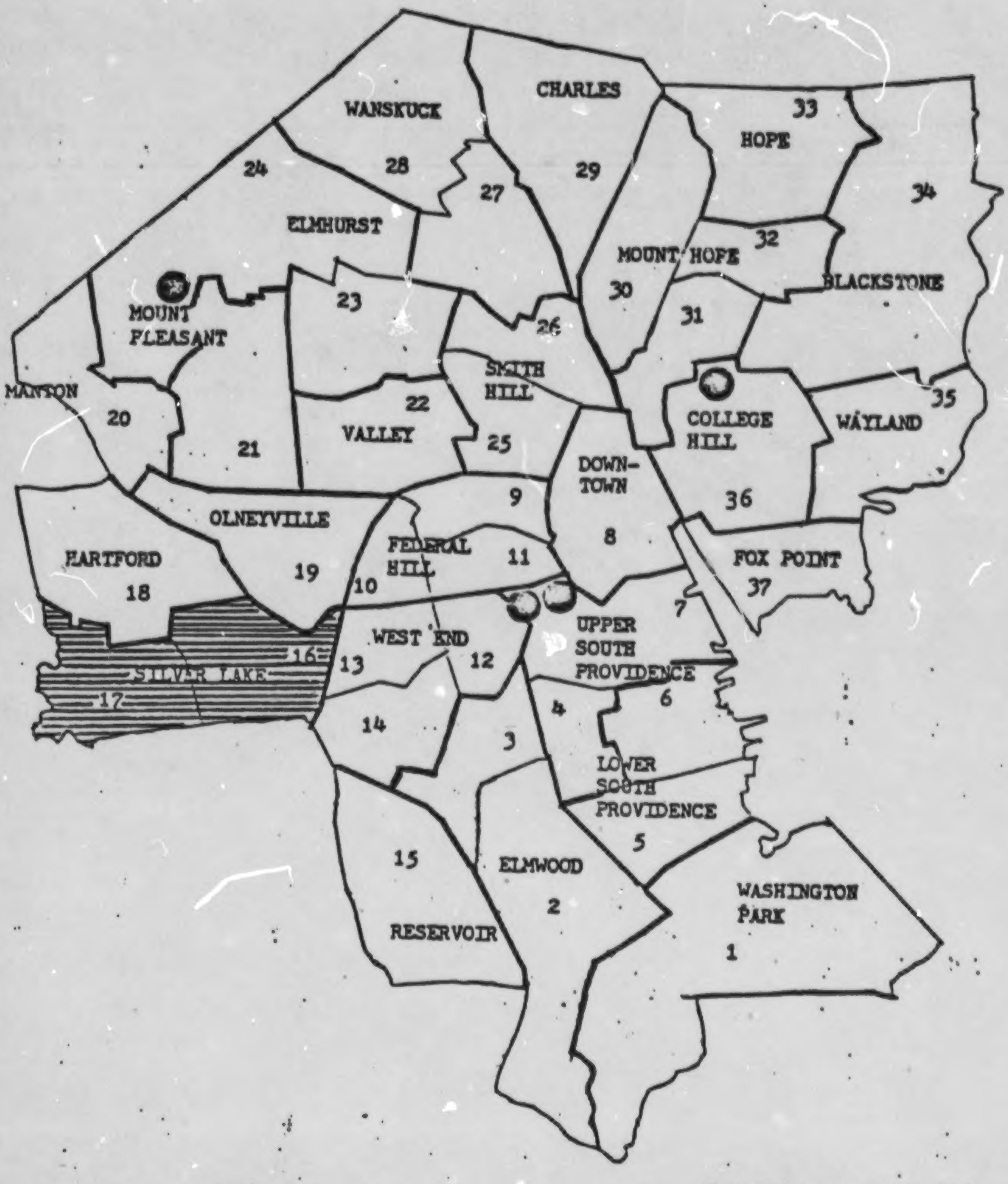
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The Silver Lake neighborhood, composed of census tracts 16 and 17, is located on the west-central edge of the City of Providence. It is bounded on the north by the Hartford neighborhood on the south by Cranston, on the east by Route 10, and on the west by Johnston. This area is part of the original Providence Colony procured by Roger Williams from the Narragansett Indians in 1636.

Early settlement in Silver Lake was sparce, with no indication of any significant 17th century development. It was not until the middle of the 19th century, with the growth of neighboring Olneyville as a commercial and industrial center, that this area became attractive as a location for residential development. Intense development in the latter half of the 1800's continued into this century, with homes being built at a rapid pace. Today, Silver Lake continues as primarily a residential neighborhood, over half of the land area having a good mixture of homes of various sizes and types.

In 1970, the population of Silver Lake was 10,331 with a racial and ethnic composition of 99.8% White, 0.0% Black and 0.1% Spanish speaking. Between the years of 1960-1970, there was a net decrease of 747 whites (6.7%) coupled with an increase of 3 (100.0%) non-whites. The total foreign stock population for Silver Lake numbered 4893, with four most frequent countries of origin being Italy (75.7%), Canada (4.5%), United Kingdom (3.9%), and Ireland (2.1%). English is the predominantly spoken language.

Between the years 1960 and 1970 the median income for all families rose from $5,228.00 to $8,213.00, an increase of 57.0%. In 1970, the median income for all unrelated individuals was $1,739.00. In 1960, 2909 (95.3%) of the Silver Lake male population fourteen years and older was employed in the civilian labor force as opposed to 1460 (89.7%) of the female population. By 1970 the percentage of males sixteen years and older had decreased to 2591 (93.7%), while the percentage for the female population rose to 1956 (93.2%). The unemployment rates for 1960 and 1970 were 2.9% and 6.55% respectively.

With an unemployment rate of 6.55% in Silver Lake in 1970, 80 (2.7%) of the neighborhood's families were receiving public assistance as were 296 (1.6%) of all unrelated individuals. Between the years 1972 and 1977, the number of AFDC recipients changed from 244 to 353 which corresponds to 4.5% and 5.9% of the number of cases for the City of Providence.

The general housing indicators for Silver Lake have shown variation between 1960 and 1970. The number of owner occupied units was 1437 in 1960 and 1447 in 1970. During this same timespan, the number of renter occupied units changed from 2035 to 2090 with a vacancy rate increase from 4.8% to 5.1%. In 1970, the median value of occupied units was $13,850 and the median rent was $87.00. In 1975, the number of units in need of substantial rehabilitation in Silver Lake totalled 2051 (55.5%). Between 1960 and 1970, the total number of rented units increased from 1906 to 2090 with a change in rents from $60.00 to $87.00. In 1970 the breakdown of the age of Silver Lake housing as a percentage of the number of housing units appeared as follows: 12% built between 1969 and 1970; 1.1% 1965 to 1968; .9% 1960 to 1964; 2.4% 1950 to 1959; 4.4% 1940 to 1949; and 90.0% constructed prior to 1939. Also in 1970 there were 2037 households with one automobile, 641 with two and 100 with three or more. Seven hundred twenty-three were listed as having none at all. The median years of education completed in 1970 by persons twenty-five years and older was 9.8 for the total population.

Currently there are 265 eighth through eleventh graders in Silver Lake which is a part of the Central High School feeder pattern. Of these 265 students, there are 254 (96.2%) Whites, 3 (.3%) Blacks and 8 (3.0%) Portuguese and other. With an enrollment of 265, Silver Lake ranks 9th in total high school student enrollment. At the present time, there are 4 bus routes directly to Central/Classical, none to Hope and 1 to Mount Pleasant.

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A.1 - 1960, 1975: TOTAL POPULATION BY 5 YEAR INTERVALS				
POPULATION	YEAR			
	1960	1965	1970	1975
NUMBER	11,081	10,486	10,337	9,762
% OF TOTAL POPULATION OF PROVIDENCE	5.5	5.8	5.8	5.4

A.2 - 1960, 1970: POPULATION BY WHITE AND NON-WHITE		
POPULATION	YEAR	
	1960	1970
WHITE	11,078	10,331
NON-WHITE	3	6

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A.3 - 1960, 1970 CENSUS: POPULATION BY RACE AND SPANISH LANGUAGE

YEAR	TOTAL POPULATION	WHITE		NON-WHITE		BLACK		SPANISH LANGUAGE	
		#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%
1960	11081	11078	99.97	3	0.03	2	-	N/A	N/A
1970	10337	10331	99.94	6	0.06	-	-	65	0.6
1960-1970 Increase (+) Decrease (-)		-747	-6.7	+3	+100.0	-2	-100.0	N/A	N/A
% Change in Proportional Distribution		-0.03		+0.03		-100.0		N/A	

A.4 - 1970 CENSUS: FERTILITY RATIO BY POPULATION

Total Population	111.6

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A.5 - 1970 CENSUS: PERSONS 25 YEARS OF AGE AND OVER BY RACE AND YEARS OF SCHOOL COMPLETED

LEVEL AND YEARS OF SCHOOL COMPLETED	TOTAL POPULATION		WHITE		BLACK		OTHER	
	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%
NO SCHOOL YEAR COMPLETED	300	4.9	300	4.9	-	-	-	-
ELEMENTARY: 1-4 YEARS	310	5.0	310	5.0	-	-	-	-
5-7 YEARS	981	16.0	981	16.0	-	-	-	-
8 YEARS	965	15.7	965	15.7	-	-	-	-
HIGH SCHOOL: 1-3 YEARS	1808	29.4	1802	29.4	-	-	6	100.0
4 YEARS	1417	23.1	1417	23.1	-	-	-	-
COLLEGE: 1-3 YEARS	235	3.8	235	3.8	-	-	-	-
4 YEARS OR MORE	129	2.1	129	2.1	-	-	-	-
TOTAL	6145	100.0	6139	100.0	-	-	6	100.0

A.6 - 1970 CENSUS: MEDIAN SCHOOL YEARS COMPLETED

TOTAL POPULATION
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B.4 - 1970 CENSUS: EMPLOYMENT STATUS BY RACE OF MALES 16 YEARS AND OVER (CIVILIAN LABOR FORCE)

STATUS	POPULATION		WHITE		BLACK	
	#	%	#	%	#	%
EMPLOYED	2591	93.7	2591	93.7	-	-
UNEMPLOYED	175	6.3	175	6.3	-	-
TOTAL	2766	100.0	2766	100.0	-	-

B.5 - 1970 CENSUS: EMPLOYMENT STATUS BY RACE OF FEMALES 16 YEARS AND OVER (CIVILIAN LABOR FORCE)

STATUS	POPULATION		WHITE		BLACK	
	#	%	#	%	#	%
EMPLOYED	1956	93.2	1956	93.2	-	-
UNEMPLOYED	142	6.8	142	6.8	-	-
TOTAL	2098	100.0	2098	100.0	-	-

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B.6 - 1960, 1970 CENSUS: MEDIAN INCOME

6.1 1960 MEDIAN INCOME [1]

YEAR	ALL FAMILIES AND UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS
1960	$4949

6.2 1970 MEDIAN INCOME

YEAR	ALL FAMILIES	ALL UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS
1970	$8,213	$1,738

1) 1960 Median Income Data is not disaggregated by families and unrelated individuals.

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B.7 - 1970 CENSUS: PERSONS BELOW POVERTY LEVEL

TOTAL POPULATION		
# PERSONS	% OF NEIGHBORHOOD POPULATION	% OF TOTAL POPULATION OF PROVIDENCE BELOW POVERTY LEVEL
1306	12.6	4.0

B.8 - 1970 CENSUS: NUMBER OF RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 IN FAMILIES BELOW POVERTY LEVEL BY RACE

TOTAL POPULATION			WHITE		BLACK		OTHER	
# PERSONS	% OF NEIGHBORHOOD POPULATION BELOW 18 YEARS	% OF RELATED CHILDREN IN PROVIDENCE UNDER 18 YEARS, BELOW POVERTY LEVEL	#	%	#	%	#	%
455	15.7	4.1	437	96.0	-	-	18	4.0

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B.9 - 1972-1977: DECEMBER AFDC CASES

YEAR	NUMBER OF CASES	% OF CASES IN PROVIDENCE
1972	244	4.5
1973	235	4.4
1974	278	5.0
1975	319	5.6
1976	319	5.5
1977	353	5.9

B. 10 - 1970 CENSUS: FAMILIES RECEIVING PUBLIC ASSISTANCE

# FAMILIES RECEIVING PUBLIC ASSISTANCE	% OF ALL FAMILIES IN NEIGHBORHOOD	% OF FAMILIES IN PROVIDENCE RECEIVING PUBLIC ASSISTANCE
80	3.8	2.7

B.11 - 1970 CENSUS: UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS RECEIVING PUBLIC ASSISTANCE

# PERSONS	% OF UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS IN NEIGHBORHOOD	% OF TOTAL UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS RECEIVING PUBLIC ASSISTANCE IN PROVIDENCE
296	52.1	1.6

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C.1 - 1975: TOTAL HOUSING, VACANCY RATE, AND UNITS IN NEED OF SUBSTANTIAL REHABILITATION

Characteristics	Number
Total Housing Units	3698
Vacancy Rate	2.5%
% of Units in Need of Substantial Rehabilitation*	55.5

* The need for "substantial rehabilitation" was determined by the Department of Planning and Urban Development based on a survev which considered structural factors including: Foundation, Exterior Shell, Porches and Stairs, Gutters and Down Spouts, Doors and Windows, Roof and Chimney.

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C.2 - 1970 CENSUS: UNITS IN STRUCTURE AS A PERCENTAGE OF NEIGHBORHOOD'S HOUSING STRUCTURES

	1970	
NUMBER OF UNITS IN STRUCTURE	#	%
1 (INCLUDES MOBILE HOME/ TRAILER)	587	15.7
2	1,591	42.7
3 AND 4	1,484	39.8
5 TO 49	66	1.8
50 AND OVER	0	.0
TOTAL YEAR-ROUND HOUSING UNITS	3,728	100.0

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C.3 - 1970 CENSUS: AGE OF NEIGHBORHOOD HOUSING AS A PERCENTAGE OF TOTAL NEIGHBORHOOD HOUSING UNITS

AGE OF HOUSING	#	%
1969 TO MARCH 1970	9	0.2
1965 TO 1968	42	1.1
1960 TO 1964	34	0.9
1950 TO 1959	91	2.4
1940 TO 1949	162	4.4
1939 AND EARLIER	3,389	90.9
TOTAL	3,727	100.0

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C. 4 - 1960, 1970 CENSUS: HOUSING UNITS BY OWNER AND RENTER

	1960	1970	Net Change 1960-1970
Total Housing Units	3655	3728	+ 73
Owner Occupied	1437	1447	+ 10
Renter Occupied	2035	2090	+ 55
Vacancy Rate	4.8%	5.1%	+ 6.3%

C.5 - 1970 CENSUS: MEDIAN VALUE OR RENT OF OCCUPIED UNITS

STATUS	1970
Median Value	$13,850
Median Rent	$55

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C.6 - 1960, 1970 CENSUS: RENTER-OCCUPIED AS A PERCENTAGE OF NEIGHBORHOOD'S RENTED UNITS

	1960		1970	
	#	%	#	%
Total - Rented Units	1906	100.0	2090	100.0
Less Than $40	139	7.3	34	1.6
$40 to $59	866	45.4	162	7.7
$60 to $79	710	37.2	538	25.7
$80 to $99	189	9.9	651	31.1
$100 to $149	2	10.5	578	27.6
$150 and Over	-	-	21	1.0
No Cash Rents	-	-	106	5.1
Median Rent	$60	-	$87	-

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C. 7 - 1970 CENSUS: VALUE OF OWNER OCCUPIED HOUSING BY HEAD OF HOUSEHOLD

	TOTAL OWNER OCCUPIED UNITS	
SINGLE FAMILY	#	%
Less Than $5,000	4	.8
$5,000 - $7,499	31	6.4
$7,500 - $9,999	53	11.0
$10,000 - $14,999	211	43.8
$15,000 - $19,999	138	28.6
$20,000 - $24,999	31	6.4
$25,000 - $34,999	11	2.3
$35,000 - $49,999	2	.4
$50,000 and over	1	.2
TOTAL	482	100.0

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C.8 - 1960, 1970 CENSUS: DENSITY OF RESIDENCE WITHIN HOUSING UNIT

	1960		1970	
	#	%	#	%
TOTAL NUMBER OF OCCUPIED UNITS	3422	100.0	3537	100.0
ROOMS WITH 1.00 PERSONS OR LESS	3262	95.3	3370	95.3
ROOMS WITH 1.01 PERSONS OR MORE	210	4.7	167	4.7
MEDIAN PERSONS PER OCCUPIED UNIT	3.0	-	2.5	-

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C. 9 - 1970 CENSUS: NUMBER OF AUTOMOBILES AVAILABLE BY HOUSEHOLD

Automobiles	# Households
One	2073
Two	641
Three or More	100
None	723

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C. 10 1975 DISTRIBUTION OF LAND USE BY NEIGHBORHOOD

LAND USE CATEGORY	LAND AREA IN SQ. FT.	% OF TOTAL AREA
Undeveloped Land and Water Areas	553,881	3.2
Residential Uses (Total)	9,735,823	55.8
One Family	2,762,602	15.8
Two Family	3,278,666	18.8
Three Family	2,096,245	12.0
Multi-Family	372,881	2.2
Other	1,225,429	7.0
Manufacturing	115,683	0.7
Transportation, Communication and Utilities	1,616,924	9.3
Trade (Total)	914,019	5.3
Wholesale	308,691	1.8
Retail	605,328	3.5
General Services	334,197	1.9
Institutional and Governmental Services (Total)	226,213	1.3
Education (Nursery, Primary and Secondary)	103,560	0.6
Educational Services (other)	16,000	.1
Religious Services	70,741	.4
Medical and Health Services	--	--
Government	8,658	0
Other (Service Organizations, Cemeteries, etc.)	27,254	.2
Cultural, Entertainment, and Recreation Services	3,960,821	22.7
Resource Production and Extraction	--	--
Totals	17,457,561	100.0

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D. 1 - 1966-1974: NET EFFECT OF RESIDENT BIRTHS AND DEATHS

YEAR	BIRTHS	% OF CITY BIRTHS	DEATHS	% OF CITY DEATHS	NET EFFECT
1966	217	6.6	111	4.2	+106
1967	251	8.0	159	6.0	+92
1968	186	13.9	132	5.0	+54
1969	194	6.2	118	4.8	+76
1970	225	7.1	122	5.0	+103
1971	203	7.0	129	5.4	+74
1972	151	2.0	133	5.8	+18
1973	180	7.6	122	5.2	+58
1974	143	6.7	123	5.8	+20
TOTALS	1750	-	1149	-	+601
5 YR. AVERAGE 1970-74	180.4	6.1	125.8	5.4	+54.6

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.D.2 - 1970-1974: SELECTED HEALTH INDICES: MORTALITY

	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	5 YEAR AVERAGE
ths by Cause						
alignant Neoplasms	21	26	29	26	27	25.8
Lung	7	8	4	3	7	5.8
Breast	-	-	4	3	3	2.0
Cervix	-	-	-	3	0	0.6
Colon & Rectum	4	2	2	5	6	3.8
iabetes Mellitus	3	6	10	6	4	5.8
adiovascular Disease	76	74	76	61	70	71.4
Heart Disease (All Forms)	60	52	58	51	58	55.8
Myocardial Infarction	26	17	29	28	35	27.0
Chronic Ischemic Heart Dis.	23	23	25	17	20	21.6
Cerebrovascular Disease	11	16	12	5	10	10.8
espiratory Disease	7	11	5	6	6	7.0
Pneumonia/Influenza	3	7	2	3	3	3.6
Emphysema	1	2	-	-	-	0.6
astrointestinal Disease	4	1	3	1	1	2.0
Cirrhosis of the Liver	-	-	1	1	-	0.4
xternal Causes	3	4	3	12	3	5.0
Motor Vehicle Accidents	-	1	1	6	1	1.8

al Deaths	122	129	133	122	123	125.8
ean Age at Death	68.8	71.1	69.9	66.6	71.3	69.5
nfant Deaths	3	-	3	3	4	2.6
umber Age 65 and Over	87	95	95	81	93	90.2

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D.3 - 1970-1974: SELECTED HEALTH INDICIES: NATALITY

INDICIES	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	Five Year Average
LIVE BIRTHS	225	203	151	180	143	180.4
NEWBORNS WEIGHING BELOW 2500 GRAMS (5½ LBS.)	16	20	14	9	14	14.6
BIRTHS TO MOTHERS UNDER AGE 20	23	27	22	20	31	24.6
BIRTHS TO MOTHERS AGE 35 AND OVER	6	10	6	6	5	6.6
BIRTHS OF PARITY GREATER THAN 3	27	22	21	15	10	19.0

D.4 - 1977: ADMISSIONS AND RATE/THOUSAND TO PROVIDENCE MENTAL HEALTH CENTER

ADMISSIONS	RATE/THOUSAND	% OF NEIGHBORHOOD POPULATION
87	8.4	0.8

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E.1 - 1972, 1973: FAMILY COURT HEARINGS OTHER THAN WAYWARD/DELINQUENT (MOTOR VEHICLE VIOLATIONS EXCLUDED). MALE AND FEMALE CHILDREN

MALE CHILDREN	1973		1972	
	# CASES	% CITY CASES	# CASES	% CITY CASES
NEW	7	2.9	21	7.6
REPEATERS	11	3.4	10	3.7
VIOLATORS OF PROBATION	9	3.3	10	2.9

FEMALE CHILDREN	1973 # CASES	1973 % CITY CASES	1972 # CASES	1972 % CITY CASES
NEW	2	2.5	4	4.2
REPEATERS	-	-	1	2.3
VIOLATORS OF PROBATION	-	-	-	-

TOTAL CHILDREN	1973 # CASES	1973 % CITY CASES	1972 # CASES	1972 % CITY CASES
NEW	9	2.8	25	6.7
REPEATERS	11	3.0	11	3.5
VIOLATORS OF PROBATION	9	2.9	10	2.7

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E. 2 - 1972, 1973: NON-JUDICIAL MOTOR VEHICLE VIOLATIONS ONLY

	1973		1972	
MALE CHILDREN	# CASES	% CITY CASES	# CASES	% CITY CASES
NEW	5	6.4	5	6.25
REPEATERS	2	13.3	-	-
VIOLATORS OF PROBATION	-	-	-	-

	1973		1972	
FEMALE CHILDREN	# CASES	% CITY CASES	# CASES	% CITY CASES
NEW	-	-	-	-
REPEATERS	-	-	-	-
VIOLATORS OF PROBATION	-	-	-	-

	1973		1972	
TOTAL CHILDREN	# CASES	% CITY CASES	# CASES	% CITY CASES
NEW	5	5.5	5	5.4
REPEATERS	2	12.5	-	-
VIOLATORS OF PROBATION	-	-	-	-

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E.3 - 1972, 1973: NON-JUDICIAL - OTHER THAN WAYWARD/DELINQUENT (MOTOR VEHICLE VIOLATIONS EXCLUDED)

MALE CHILDREN	1973 # CASES	1973 % CITY CASES	1972 # CASES	1972 % CITY CASES
NEW	3	8.1	-	-
REPEATERS	1	6.6	-	-
VIOLATORS OF PROBATION	-	-	-	-

FEMALE CHILDREN	1973 # CASES	1973 % CITY CASES	1972 # CASES	1972 % CITY CASES
NEW	1	4.5	-	-
REPEATERS	-	-	-	-
VIOLATORS OF PROBATION	-	-	-	-

TOTAL CHILDREN	1973 # CASES	1973 % CITY CASES	1972 # CASES	1972 % CITY CASES
NEW	4	6.7	-	-
REPEATERS	1	5.9	-	-
VIOLATORS OF PROBATION	-	-	-	-

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E.4 - 1972, 1973: MOTOR VEHICLE VIOLATIONS ONLY

	1973		1972	
MALE CHILDREN	# CASES	% CITY CASES	# CASES	% CITY CASES
NEW	2	3.0	3	4.3
REPEATERS	5	8.4	3	5.8
VIOLATORS OF PROBATION	2	5.7	-	-

	1973		1972	
FEMALE CHILDREN	# CASES	% CITY CASES	# CASES	% CITY CASES
NEW	-	-	-	-
REPEATERS	-	-	-	-
VIOLATORS OF PROBATION	-	-	-	-

	1973		1972	
TOTAL CHILDREN	# CASES	% CITY CASES	# CASES	% CITY CASES
NEW	2	2.7	3	3.6
REPEATERS	5	8.0	3	5.6
VIOLATORS OF PROBATION	2	5.7	-	-

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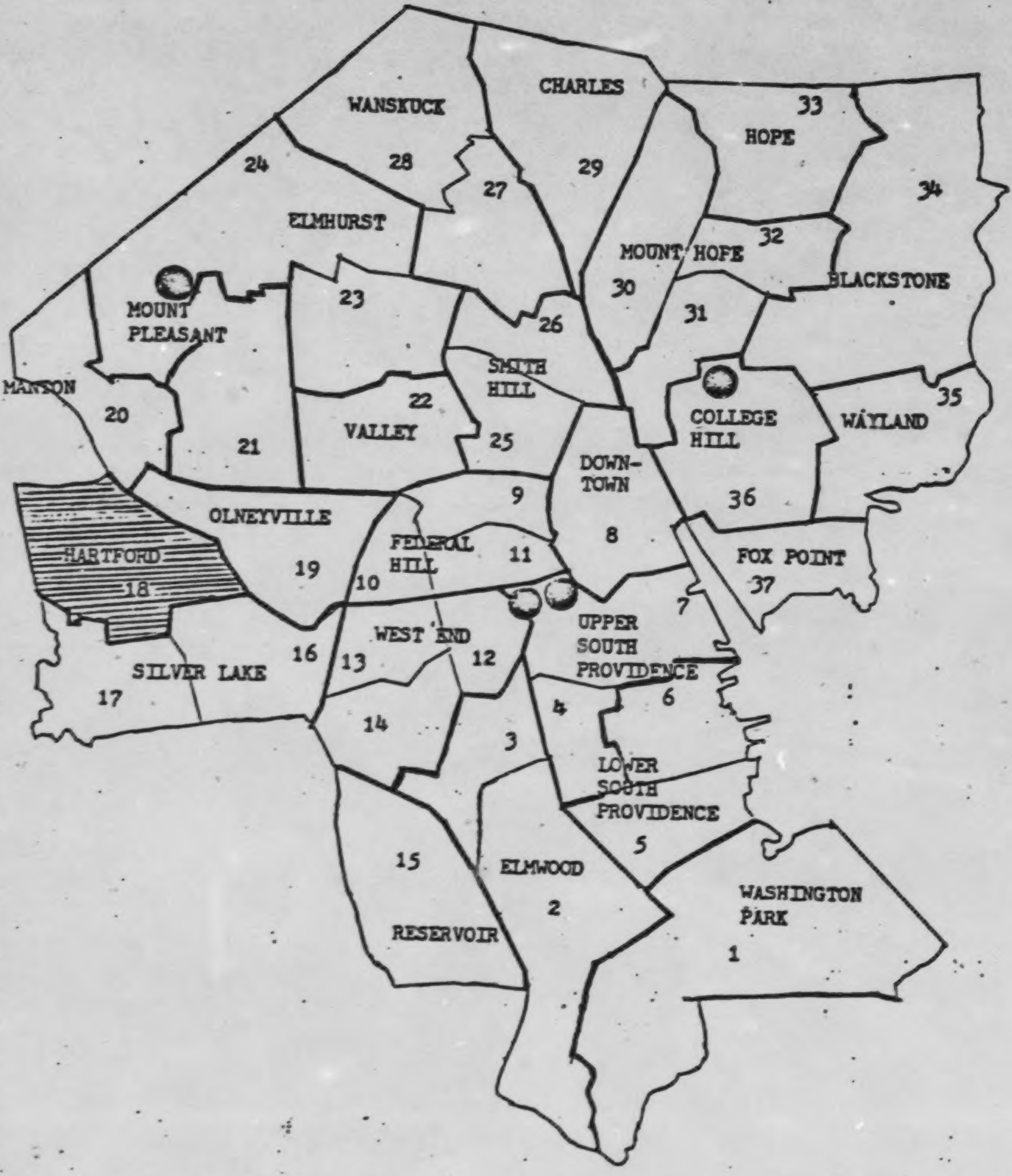
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The Hartford neighborhood, located on the west-central edge of the City of Providence, is composed of census tract 18. It is bounded on the north and east by Rhode Island Route 195, on the west by the town of Johnston, and on the south by Silver Lake.

The relative isolation of Hartford caused development to come quite late in comparison to that of the remainder of Providence. Throughout the early centuries this area was composed largely of farms. Although farming no longer plays a significant role in this neighborhood, a large portion of the land area remains undeveloped.

Today, well over one-half of Hartford is used for residential purposes. The housing stock is well mixed, with the Hartford Housing Project (constructed in 1953) providing homes for those of low income. Nearby Olneyville Square serves as the primary commercial and institutional center of the region.

In 1970, the population of Hartford was 5793 with a racial and ethnic composition of 96.6% White, 3.0% Black, and 0.4% Spanish speaking and other groups. Between the years 1960-1970, there was a net decrease of 1179 whites (17.5%) coupled with an increase of 179 (298%) non-whites. In 1970 the total foreign stock population for Hartford numbered 5793. The four most frequent countries of origin were Italy (41.1%), United Kingdom (12.9%), Canada (12.6%), and Ireland (7.1%). English is the predominantly spoken language.

Between the years 1960 and 1970 the median income for all families rose from $4,078 to $7,600, an increase of 86.3%. In 1970, the median income for all unrelated individuals was $1,502. In 1960, 1410 (93.3%) of the Hartford male population fourteen years and older was employed in the civilian labor force as opposed to 826 (93.7%) of the female population. By 1970 the percentage of males sixteen years and older has increased to 1166 (95.5%) and 1007 (96.3%) for the female population. The unemployment rate for 1960 and 1970 was 6.5% and 4.1% respectively.

With an unemployment rate of 4.1% in Hartford in 1970, 115 (7.9%) of the neighborhood's families were receiving public assistance as were 371 (62.2%) of all unrelated individuals. Between the years 1972 and 1977, the number of AFDC recipients changed from 207 to 295 which corresponds to 3.8% and 5.0% of the number of cases for the City of Providence.

The general housing indicators for Hartford have shown variation between 1960 and 1970. The number of owner occupied units was 668 in 1960 and 703 in 1970. During this same timespan, the number of renter occupied units changed from 1356 to 1365 with a vacancy rate increase from 2.6% to 6.1%. In 1970, the median value of occupied units was $15,200 as opposed to $68.00, the median rent. In 1975, the number of units in need of substantial rehabilitation in Hartford totalled 1326 (62.4%). Between 1960 and 1970, the total number of rented units increased from 1332 to 1365 with a change in rents from $48.00 to $68.00. In 1970 the breakdown of the age of housing as a percentage of the number of housing units appeared as follows: 0.5% built between 1969 and 1970; 1.9% 1965 to 1968; 3.0% 1960 to 1964; 35.7% 1950 to 1959; 14.3% 1940 to 1949; and 44.6% constructed prior to 1939. Also in 1970 there were 933 households with one automobile, 315 with two and 58 with three or more. Seven hundred sixty-two households were listed as having none at all. The median years of education completed in 1970 by persons twenty-five years and older was 9.7 for the total population.

Currently there are 227 eighth through eleventh graders in Hartford which is a part of the Central High School feeder pattern. Of these 227 students, there are 169 (74.4%) Whites, 33 (14.5%) Blacks and 25 (11.0%) Hispanic and other. With an enrollment of 227, Hartford ranks 11th in total high school enrollment. At the present time, there are 2 bus routes directly to Central/Classical, 1 to Mount Pleasant, and none to Hope.

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A.1 - 1960, 1975: TOTAL POPULATION BY 5 YEAR INTERVALS				
POPULATION	YEAR			
	1960	1965	1970	1975
NUMBER	6,793	5,964	5,793	5,312
% OF TOTAL POPULATION OF PROVIDENCE	3.4	3.3	3.2	3.2

A.2 - 1960, 1970: POPULATION BY WHITE AND NON-WHITE		
POPULATION	YEAR	
	1960	1970
WHITE	6,733	5,554
NON-WHITE	60	239

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A.3 - 1960, 1970 CENSUS: POPULATION BY RACE AND SPANISH LANGUAGE

YEAR	TOTAL POPULATION	WHITE		NON-WHITE		BLACK		SPANISH LANGUAGE	
		#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%
1960	6793	6733	99.1	60	0.9	46	0.7	N/A	N/A
1970	5793	5554	95.9	239	4.1	175	3.0	N/A	N/A
1960-1970 Increase (+) Decrease (-)		-1179	-17.5	+179	+298.3	+129	+280.4	N/A	N/A
% Change in Proportional Distribution		-3.2		+3.2		+2.3		N/A	

A.4 - 1970 CENSUS: FERTILITY RATIO BY POPULATION

Total Population	83.5

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A.5 - 1970 CENSUS: PERSONS 25 YEARS OF AGE AND OVER BY RACE AND YEARS OF SCHOOL COMPLETED

LEVEL AND YEARS OF SCHOOL COMPLETED	TOTAL POPULATION		WHITE		BLACK		OTHER	
	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%
NO SCHOOL YEAR COMPLETED	80	2.4	80	2.5	-	-	-	-
ELEMENTARY: 1-4 YEARS	139	4.2	139	4.3	-	-	-	-
5-7 YEARS	606	18.3	594	18.2	-	-	12	40.0
8 YEARS	627	18.9	622	19.1	-	-	5	16.7
HIGH SCHOOL: 1-3 YEARS	897	27.1	888	27.3	9	32.1	-	-
4 YEARS	733	22.1	709	21.8	19	67.9	5	16.7
COLLEGE: 1-3 YEARS	126	3.8	118	3.6	-	-	8	26.7
4 YEARS OR MORE	106	3.2	106	3.3	-	-	-	-
TOTAL	3314	100.0	3256	100.0	28	100.0	30	100.0

A.6 - 1970 CENSUS: MEDIAN SCHOOL YEARS COMPLETED

TOTAL POPULATION
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A.7 - 1970 CENSUS: NATIVITY AND PARENTAGE

NATIVITY	TOTAL POPULATION	
	#	%
NATIVE OF NATIVE PARENT	3717	64.2
FOREIGN STOCK	2076	35.8
TOTAL	5793	100.0

A.8 - 1970 CENSUS: MOST FREQUENT COUNTRY OF ORIGIN OF FOREIGN STOCK

COUNTRY OF ORIGIN	# OF PERSONS	% FOREIGN STOCK POPULATION
ITALY	977	47.1
UNITED KINGDOM	268	12.9
CANADA	263	12.6
IRELAND	147	7.1

A.9 - 1970 CENSUS: SPANISH POPULATION INDICATORS

INDICATORS	# OF PERSONS	% OF TOTAL POPULATION
SPANISH LANGUAGE	N/A	N/A

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B.1 - 1970 CENSUS: NUMBER OF EMPLOYED PERSONS 16 YEARS OLD AND OVER BY OCCUPATION

OCCUPATION	1960[1] TOTAL PERSONS EMPLOYED		1970 TOTAL PERSONS EMPLOYED		1970 WHITE		1970 BLACK		1970 SPANISH	
	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%
Professional, Technical and Kindred Workers	141	6.9	217	9.9	198	9.4	8	20.5	-	-
Managers and Administrators Except Farm	94	4.6	77	3.5	77	3.6	-	-	-	-
Sales Workers	94	4.6	57	2.6	57	2.7	6	15.4	-	-
Clerical and Kindred Workers	288	14.2	397	18.2	383	18.1	12	30.8	-	-
Craftsmen, Foremen and Kindred Workers	338	16.6	340	15.6	328	15.5	4	10.2	-	-
Operatives, Except Transport	751	37.0	608	27.9	600	28.4	-	-	-	-
Transport Equipment Operatives	5	0.2	57	2.6	57	2.7	-	-	-	-
Laborers, Except Farm	92	4.5	105	4.8	105	5.0	-	-	-	-
Farmers and Farm Managers Farm Laborers and Foremen	-	-	8	0.3	8	0.4	-	-	-	-
Service Workers, Except Private Household	162	7.9	239	13.4	284	13.4	9	23.1	-	-
Private Household Workers	67	3.3	14	0.6	14	0.6	-	-	-	-
TOTAL	2032	100.0	2173	100.0	2111		39	100.0	-	-

[1] 1960 data listed for persons 14 years old and over.

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B.2 - 1960 CENSUS: EMPLOYMENT STATUS, MALES 14 YEARS AND OVER (CIVILIAN LABOR FORCE)

STATUS	TOTAL	
	#	%
EMPLOYED	1410	93.3
UNEMPLOYED	101	6.7

B.3 - 1960 CENSUS: EMPLOYMENT STATUS, FEMALES 14 YEARS AND OVER (CIVILIAN LABOR FORCE)

STATUS	TOTAL	
	#	%
EMPLOYED	826	93.7
UNEMPLOYED	55	6.3

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B.4 - 1970 CENSUS: EMPLOYMENT STATUS BY RACE OF MALES 16 YEARS AND OVER (CIVILIAN LABOR FORCE)

STATUS	POPULATION		WHITE		BLACK	
	#	%	#	%	#	%
EMPLOYED	1166	95.5	1144	95.4	16	100.0
UNEMPLOYED	54	4.5	54	4.5	0	-
TOTAL	1220	100.0	1198	100.0	16	100.0

B.5 - 1970 CENSUS: EMPLOYMENT STATUS BY RACE OF FEMALES 16 YEARS AND OVER (CIVILIAN LABOR FORCE)

STATUS	POPULATION		WHITE		BLACK	
	#	%	#	%	#	%
EMPLOYED	1007	96.3	967	97.3	23	67.6
UNEMPLOYED	38	3.7	27	2.8	11	32.4
TOTAL	1045	100.0	994	100.0	34	100.0

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B.6 - 1960, 1970 CENSUS: MEDIAN INCOME

6.1 1960 MEDIAN INCOME [1]

YEAR	ALL FAMILIES AND UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS
1960	$3775

6.2 1970 MEDIAN INCOME

YEAR	ALL FAMILIES	ALL UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS
1970	$7,600	$1,502

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1) 1960 Median Income Data is not disaggregated by families and unrelated individuals.

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B.7 - 1970 CENSUS: PERSONS BELOW POVERTY LEVEL

TOTAL POPULATION		
# PERSONS	% OF NEIGHBORHOOD POPULATION	% OF TOTAL POPULATION OF PROVIDENCE BELOW POVERTY LEVEL
1287	22.2	4.0

B.8 - 1970 CENSUS: NUMBER OF RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 IN FAMILIES BELOW POVERTY LEVEL BY RACE

TOTAL POPULATION			WHITE		BLACK		OTHER	
# PERSONS	% OF NEIGHBORHOOD POPULATION BELOW 18 YEARS	% OF RELATED CHILDREN IN PROVIDENCE UNDER 18 YEARS, BELOW POVERTY LEVEL	#	%	#	%	#	%
548	29.1	5.0	480	87.6	34	6.2	34	6.2

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B.9 - 1972-1977: DECEMBER AFDC CASES

YEAR	NUMBER OF CASES	% OF CASES IN PROVIDENCE
1972	207	3.8
1973	229	4.[illegible]
1974	252	4.5
1975	287	5.0
1976	308	5.3
1977	295	5.0

B. 10 - 1970 CENSUS: FAMILIES RECEIVING PUBLIC ASSISTANCE

# FAMILIES RECEIVING PUBLIC ASSISTANCE	% OF ALL FAMILIES IN NEIGHBORHOOD	% OF FAMILIES IN PROVIDENCE RECEIVING PUBLIC ASSISTANCE
115	5.4	7.7

B.11 - 1970 CENSUS: UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS RECEIVING PUBLIC ASSISTANCE

# PERSONS	% OF UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS IN NEIGHBORHOOD	% OF TOTAL UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS RECEIVING PUBLIC ASSISTANCE IN PROVIDENCE
371	62.2	2.0

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C.1 - 1975: TOTAL HOUSING, VACANCY RATE, AND UNITS IN NEED OF SUBSTANTIAL REHABILITATION

Characteristics	Number
Total Housing Units	2126
Vacancy Rate	2%
% of Units in Need of Substantial Rehabilitation *	62.4

* The need for "substantial rehabilitation" was determined by the Department of Planning and Urban Development based on a survey which considered structural factors including: Foundation, Exterior Shell, Porches and Stairs, Gutters and Down Spouts, Doors and Windows, Roof and Chimney.

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C.2 - 1970 CENSUS: UNITS IN STRUCTURE AS A PERCENTAGE OF NEIGHBORHOOD'S HOUSING STRUCTURES

	1970	
NUMBER OF UNITS IN STRUCTURE	#	%
1 (INCLUDES MOBILE HOME/ TRAILER)	495	22.5
2	507	23.0
3 AND 4	447	20.3
5 TO 49	392	17.8
50 AND OVER	361	16.4
TOTAL YEAR-ROUND HOUSING UNITS	2,202	100.0

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C.3 - 1970 CENSUS: AGE OF NEIGHBORHOOD HOUSING AS A PERCENTAGE OF TOTAL NEIGHBORHOOD HOUSING UNITS

AGE OF HOUSING	#	%
1969 TO MARCH 1970	10	0.5
1965 TO 1968	41	1.9
1960 TO 1964	66	3.0
1950 TO 1959	787	35.7
1940 TO 1949	315	14.3
1939 AND EARLIER	983	44.6
TOTAL	2,202	100.0

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C.4 - 1960. 1970 CENSUS: HOUSING UNITS BY OWNER AND RENTER

	1960	1970	Net Change 1960-1970
Total Housing Units	2078	2202	- 76
Owner Occupied	668	703	+ 35
Renter Occupied	1356	1365	+ 9
Vacancy Rate	2.6%	6.1%	+ 134.6%

C.5 - 1970 CENSUS: MEDIAN VALUE OR RENT OF OCCUPIED UNITS

STATUS	1970
Median Value	$15,200
Median Rent	$55

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C.6 - 1960, 1970 CENSUS: RENTER-OCCUPIED AS A PERCENTAGE OF NEIGHBORHOOD'S RENTED UNITS

	1960		1970	
	#	%	#	%
Total - Rented Units	1332	100.0	1365	100.0
Less Than $40	492	36.9	264	19.3
$40 to $59	428	32.1	327	23.9
$60 to $79	328	24.6	213	15.6
$80 to $99	72	5.4	300	21.9
$100 to $149	12	.9	212	15.5
$150 and Over	-	-	19	1.4
No Cash Rents	-	-	30	2.2
Median Rent	$48	-	$68	-

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C. 7 - 1970 CENSUS: VALUE OF OWNER OCCUPIED HOUSING BY HEAD OF HOUSEHOLD

	TOTAL OWNER OCCUPIED UNITS	
SINGLE FAMILY	#	%
Less Than $5,000	2	.5
$5,000 - $7,499	14	3.5
$7,500 - $9,999	30	7.5
$10,000 - $14,999	148	36.9
$15,000 - $19,999	143	35.7
$20,000 - $24,999	44	11.0
$25,000 - $34,999	15	3.7
$35,000 - $49,999	5	1.2
$50,000 and over	0	.0
TOTAL	401	100.0

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C.8 - 1960, 1970 CENSUS: DENSITY OF RESIDENCE WITHIN HOUSING UNIT

	1960		1970	
	#	%	#	%
TOTAL NUMBER OF OCCUPIED UNITS	2024	100.0	2068	100.0
ROOMS WITH 1.00 PERSONS OR LESS	1818	89.8	1924	93.3
ROOMS WITH 1.01 PERSONS OR MORE	206	10.2	144	6.7
MEDIAN PERSONS PER OCCUPIED UNIT	3.0	-	2.3	-

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C. 9 - 1970 CENSUS: NUMBER OF AUTOMOBILES AVAILABLE BY HOUSEHOLD

Automobiles	# Households
One	933
Two	315
Three or More	58
None	762

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C. 10 1975 DISTRIBUTION OF LAND USE BY NEIGHBORHOOD

LAND USE CATEGORY	LAND AREA IN SQ. FT.	% OF TOTAL AREA
Undeveloped Land and Water Areas	1,583,430	12.8
Residential Uses (Total)	7,547,727	61.0
One Family	3,071,449	24.9
Two Family	1,309,031	10.9
Three Family	419,129	3.4
Multi-Family	1,890,699	15.3
Other	857,419	6.9
Manufacturing	438,983	3.5
Transportation, Communication and Utilities	650,816	5.3
Trade (Total)	590,862	4.8
Wholesale	8,000	.1
Retail	582,862	4.7
General Services	243,596	2.0
Institutional and Governmental Services (Total)	388,259	3.1
Education (Nursery, Primary and Secondary)	292,095	2.4
Educational Services (other)	--	--
Religious Services	56,873	.5
Medical and Health Services	--	--
Government	9,000	.1
Other (Service Organizations, Cemeteries, etc.)	30,291	.2
Cultural, Entertainment, and Recreation Services	918,294	7.4
Resource Production and Extraction	--	--
Totals	12,361,967	100.0

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D. 1 - 1966-1974: NET EFFECT OF RESIDENT BIRTHS AND DEATHS

YEAR	BIRTHS	% OF CITY BIRTHS	DEATHS	% OF CITY DEATHS	NET EFFECT
1966	111	3.4	85	3.2	+26
1967	87	2.8	68	2.6	+19
1968	100	3.2	73	2.7	+27
1969	109	3.5	68	2.8	+41
1970	94	3.0	86	3.5	+8
1971	83	2.9	84	3.5	-1
1972	84	3.4	88	3.9	-4
1973	66	2.8	91	3.8	-25
1974	79	3.7	93	4.4	-14
TOTALS	813	-	736	-	+77
5 YR. AVERAGE 1970-74	81.2	3.2	88.4	3.8	-72

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D.2 - 1970-1974: SELECTED HEALTH INDICES: MORTALITY

Deaths by Cause	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	5 YEAR AVERAGE
Malignant Neoplasms	18	15	17	21	26	19.4
Lung	5	3	6	-	4	3.6
Breast	2	1	2	-	2	1.4
Cervix	-	-	1	2	-	0.6
Colon & Rectum	2	2	3	3	5	3.2
Diabetes Mellitus	4	2	1	5	2	2.8
Cadiovascular Disease	51	48	54	51	50	50.8
Heart Disease (All Forms)	38	31	38	39	38	36.8
Myocardial Infarction	18	12	23	18	17	17.6
Chronic Ischemic Heart Dis.	15	16	11	16	16	14.8
Cerebrovascular Disease	10	12	9	8	8	9.4
Respiratory Disease	3	8	8	4	5	5.6
Pneumonia/Influenza	1	4	3	3	3	2.8
Emphysema	1	2	1	-	-	0.8
Gastrointestinal Disease	2	4	4	5	4	3.8
Cirrhosis of the Liver		1	1	2	2	1.2
External Causes	4	3	-	1	1	1.8
Motor Vehicle Accidents	1	-	-	-	-	0.2

Total Deaths	86	84	88	91	93	88.4
Mean Age at Death	68.8	71.2	72.9	73.0	71.0	71.4
Infant Deaths	4	2	2	-	3	2.2
Number Age 65 and Over	61	65	75	70	73	68.8

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D.3 - 1970-1974: SELECTED HEALTH INDICIES: NATALITY

INDICIES	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	Five Year Average
LIVE BIRTHS	94	83	84	66	79	81.2
NEWBORNS WEIGHING BELOW 2500 GRAMS (5½ LBS.)	15	4	5	7	8	7.8
BIRTHS TO MOTHERS UNDER AGE 20	13	15	15	15	30	17.6
BIRTHS TO MOTHERS AGE 35 AND OVER	6	4	6	5	2	4.6
BIRTHS OF PARITY GREATER THAN 3	21	15	15	10	7	13.6

D.4 - 1977: ADMISSIONS AND RATE/THOUSAND TO PROVIDENCE MENTAL HEALTH CENTER

ADMISSIONS	RATE/THOUSAND	% OF NEIGHBORHOOD POPULATION
54	9.3	0.9

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E.1 - 1972, 1973: FAMILY COURT HEARINGS OTHER THAN WAYWARD/DELINQUENT (MOTOR VEHICLE VIOLATIONS EXCLUDED), MALE AND FEMALE CHILDREN

MALE CHILDREN	1973 # CASES	 % CITY CASES	1972 # CASES	 % CITY CASES
NEW	8	3.3	12	4.3
REPEATERS	9	2.8	8	2.9
VIOLATORS OF PROBATION	7	2.5	4	1.1

FEMALE CHILDREN	1973 # CASES	 % CITY CASES	1972 # CASES	 % CITY CASES
NEW	5	6.2	3	3.2
REPEATERS	-	-	-	-
VIOLATORS OF PROBATION	-	-	-	-

TOTAL CHILDREN	1973 # CASES	 % CITY CASES	1972 # CASES	 % CITY CASES
NEW	13	4.1	15	4.0
REPEATERS	9	2.4	8	2.5
VIOLATORS OF PROBATION	7	2.2	4	1.1

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E. 2 - 1972, 1973: NON-JUDICIAL MOTOR VEHICLE VIOLATIONS ONLY

	1973		1972	
MALE CHILDREN	# CASES	% CITY CASES	# CASES	% CITY CASES
NEW	4	5.1	7	8.7
REPEATERS	-	-	1	14.2
VIOLATORS OF PROBATION	-	-	-	-

	1973		1972	
FEMALE CHILDREN	# CASES	% CITY CASES	# CASES	% CITY CASES
NEW	-	-	-	-
REPEATERS	-	-	-	-
VIOLATORS OF PROBATION	-	-	-	-

	1973		1972	
TOTAL CHILDREN	# CASES	% CITY CASES	# CASES	% CITY CASES
NEW	4	4.4	7	7.6
REPEATERS	-	-	1	12.5
VIOLATORS OF PROBATION	-	-	-	-

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E.3 - 1972, 1973: NON-JUDICIAL - OTHER THAN WAYWARD/DELINGUENT (MOTOR VEHICLE VIOLATIONS EXCLUDED).

	1973		1972	
MALE CHILDREN	# CASES	% CITY CASES	# CASES	% CITY CASES
NEW	1	2.7	-	-
REPEATERS	-	-	-	-
VIOLATORS OF PROBATION	-	-	-	-

	1973		1972	
FEMALE CHILDREN	# CASES	% CITY CASES	# CASES	% CITY CASES
NEW	-	-	-	-
REPEATERS	-	-	-	-
VIOLATORS OF PROBATION	-	-	-	-

	1973		1972	
TOTAL CHILDREN	# CASES	% CITY CASES	# CASES	% CITY CASES
NEW	1	1.7	-	-
REPEATERS	-	-	-	-
VIOLATORS OF PROBATION	-	-	-	-

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E.4 - 1972, 1973: HEARINGS - MOTOR VEHICLE VIOLATIONS ONLY

	1973		1972	
MALE CHILDREN	# CASES	% CITY CASES	# CASES	% CITY CASES
NEW	2	3.0	5	7.2
REPEATERS	1	1.6	4	7.8
VIOLATORS OF PROBATION	-	-	1	2.7

	1973		1972	
FEMALE CHILDREN	# CASES	% CITY CASES	# CASES	% CITY CASES
NEW	-	-	-	-
REPEATERS	-	-	-	-
VIOLATORS OF PROBATION	-	-	-	-

	1973		1972	
TOTAL CHILDREN	# CASES	% CITY CASES	# CASES	% CITY CASES
NEW	2	2.7	5	6.0
REPEATERS	1	1.6	4	7.5
VIOLATORS OF PROBATION	-	-	1	2.6

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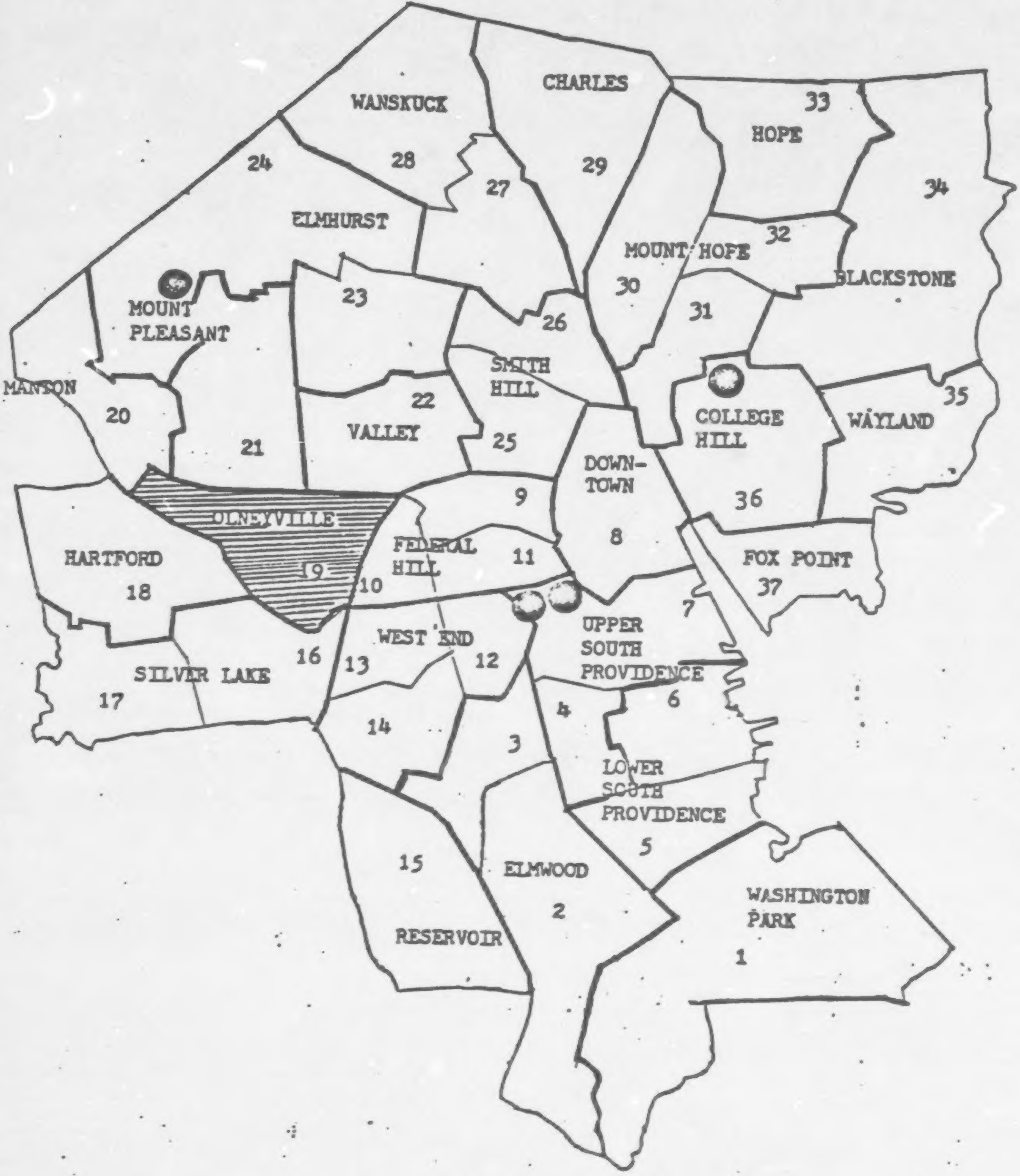

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The Olneyville neighborhood, composed of census tract 19, is located in the west-central portion of the City of Providence. It is bounded on the north by Atwells Avenue, on the south by Rhode Island Route 195, on the east by the old New York-New Haven Railroad tracks, and on the west by the Manton neighborhood.

The distance of Olneyville from central Providence served to discourage the growth of this neighborhood for quite a few years, however, by the middle of the 19th century developers began to notice the potential of this area along the Woonasquatucket River. Rapid development occured, led by Christopher Olney, and Olneyville soon became a center for commerce and industry. Today, manufacturing continues to play a dominant role in the neighborhood, with the residential portion composed mostly of three-family dwellings.

In 1970, the population of Olneyville was 5665, with a racial and ethnic composition of 99.6% White, 0.0% Black and 0.4% Spanish speaking and other races. Between the years of 1960-1970, there was a net decrease of 1214 whites (17.7%) coupled with an increase of 25 (178.6%) non-whites. The total foreign stock population for Olneyville numbered 5657, with four most frequent countries of origin being Italy (32.2%), Poland (22.2%), Canada (22.0%), Ireland (6.8%). English is the predominantly spoken language.

Between the years 1960 and 1970 the median income for all families rose from $4,491.00 to $6,992.00, an increase of 35.7%. In 1970, the median income for all unrelated individuals was $2,368.00. In 1960, 1621 (92.6%) of the Olneyville male population fourteen years and older was employed in the civilian labor force as opposed to 874 (92.7%) of the female population. By 1970 the percentage of males sixteen years and older had decreased to 1226 (90.8%) and 1027 (96.1%) for the female population. The unemployment rates for 1960 and 1970 were 7.35% and 6.55% respectively.

With an unemployment rate of 6.55% in Olneyville in 1970, 96 (6.5%) of the neighborhood's families were receiving public assistance as were 288 (38.8%) of all unrelated individuals. Between the years 1972 and 1977, the number of AFDC recipients changed from 181 to 250 which corresponds to 3.3% and 4.2% of the number of cases for the City of Providence.

The general housing indicators for Olneyville have shown variation between 1960 and 1970. The number of owner occupied units was 574 in 1960 and 536 in 1970. During this same timespan, the number of renter occupied units changed from 1749 to 1622 with a vacancy rate increase from 8.5% to 9.6%. In 1970, the median value of occupied units was $9.900.00 and the median rent was $75.00. In 1975, the number of units in need of substantial rehabilitation in Olneyville totalled 1180 (54.9%). Between 1960 and 1970, the total number of rented units decreased from 1705 to

1622 with a change in rents from $48.00 to $75.00 In 1970 the breakdown of the age of Olneyville housing as a percentage of the number of housing units appeared as follows: 0% built between 1969 and 1970; 0% 1965 to 1968; .3% 1960 to 1964; 2.2% 1950 to 1959; 2.8% 1940 to 1949; and 94.8% constructed prior to 1939. Also in 1970 there were 1130 households with one automobile, 252 with two and 8 with three or more. Seven hundred sixty-eight households were listed as having none at all. The median years of education completed in 1970 by persons twenty-five years and older was 8.9 for the total population.

Currently there are 178 eighth through eleventh graders in Olneyville which is a part of the Mount Pleasant High School feeder pattern. Of these 178 students, there are 149 (83.7%) Whites, 9 (5.1%) Blacks and 20 (11.3%) Portuguese and other. With an enrollment of 178, Olneyville ranks 15 in the total high school enrollment. At the present time, there are 5 bus routes directly to Central/Classical, with none to Hope or to Mount Pleasant.

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A.1 - 1960, 1975: TOTAL POPULATION BY 5 YEAR INTERVALS

POPULATION	YEAR			
	1960	1965	1970	1975
NUMBER	6,854	5,920	5,665	5,168
% OF TOTAL POPULATION OF PROVIDENCE	3.4	3.3	3.2	3.1

A.2 - 1960, 1970: POPULATION BY WHITE AND NON-WHITE

POPULATION	YEAR	
	1960	1970
WHITE	6,840	5,626
NON-WHITE	14	39

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A.3 - 1960, 1970 CENSUS: POPULATION BY RACE AND SPANISH LANGUAGE

YEAR	TOTAL POPULATION	WHITE		NON-WHITE		BLACK		SPANISH LANGUAGE	
		#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%
1960	6854	6840	99.8	14	0.2	14	0.2	N/A	N/A
1970	5665	5626	99.3	39	0.7	2	-	N/A	N/A
1960-1970 Increase (+) Decrease (-)		-1214	117.7	+25	+178.6	-12	-85.7	N/A	N/A
% Change in Proportional Distribution		-0.5		+0.5		-0.2		N/A	

A.4 - 1970 CENSUS: FERTILITY RATIO BY POPULATION

Total Population	119.2

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A.5 - 1970 CENSUS: PERSONS 25 YEARS OF AGE AND OVER BY RACE AND YEARS OF SCHOOL COMPLETED

LEVEL AND YEARS OF SCHOOL COMPLETED	TOTAL POPULATION		WHITE		BLACK		OTHER	
	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%
NO SCHOOL YEAR COMPLETED	105	3.2	105	3.2	-	-	-	-
ELEMENTARY: 1-4 YEARS	161	4.9	161	4.9	-	-	-	-
5-7 YEARS	731	22.1	726	22.0	-	-	5	50.0
8 YEARS	714	21.7	714	21.7	-	-	-	-
HIGH SCHOOL: 1-3 YEARS	850	25.7	845	25.7	-	-	5	50.0
4 YEARS	621	18.8	621	18.9	-	-	-	-
COLLEGE: 1-3 YEARS	77	2.3	77	2.3	-	-	-	-
4 YEARS OR MORE	44	1.3	44	1.3	-	-	-	-
TOTAL	3303	100.0	3293	100.0			10	100.0

A.6 - 1970 CENSUS: MEDIAN SCHOOL YEARS COMPLETED

TOTAL POPULATION
8.9

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A. 7 - 1970 CENSUS: NATIVITY AND PARENTAGE

NATIVITY	TOTAL POPULATION	
	#	%
NATIVE OF NATIVE PARENT	3577	63.2
FOREIGN STOCK	2088	36.8
TOTAL	5657	100.0

A.8 - 1970 CENSUS: MOST FREQUENT COUNTRY OF ORIGIN OF FOREIGN STOCK

COUNTRY OF ORIGIN	# OF PERSONS	% FOREIGN STOCK POPULATION
ITALY	675	32.3
POLAND	463	22.2
CANADA	460	22.0
IRELAND	143	6.8

A.9 - 1970 CENSUS: SPANISH POPULATION INDICATORS

INDICATORS	# OF PERSONS	% OF TOTAL POPULATION
SPANISH LANGUAGE	N/A	N/A

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B.1 - 1970 CENSUS: NUMBER OF EMPLOYED PERSONS 16 YEARS OLD AND OVER BY OCCUPATION

OCCUPATION	1960[1]		1970							
	TOTAL PERSONS EMPLOYED		TOTAL PERSONS EMPLOYED		WHITE		BLACK		SPANISH	
	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%
Professional, Technical and Kindred Workers	99	4.2	143	6.3	143	6.4	-	-	-	-
Managers and Administrators Except Farm	67	2.8	46	2.0	46	2.1	-	-	-	-
Sales Workers	80	3.4	53	2.3	53	2.4	-	-	-	-
Clerical and Kindred Workers	326	14.0	336	14.9	330	14.8	-	-	-	-
Craftsmen, Foremen and Kindred Workers	330	14.1	377	16.7	372	16.7	-	-	-	-
Operatives, Except Transport	1076	46.1	727	32.2	715	32.0	-	-	-	-
Transport Equipment Operatives	6	0.6	80	3.5	80	3.6	-	-	-	-
Laborers, Except Farm	133	5.7	193	8.5	193	8.7	-	-	-	-
Farmers and Farm Managers Farm Laborers and Foremen	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Service Workers, Except Private Household	207	8.9	282	12.5	282	12.6	-	-	-	-
Private Household Workers	8	0.3	16	0.7	16	0.7	-	-	-	-
TOTAL	2332	100.0	2253	100.0	2230	100.0	-	-	-	-

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[1] 1960 data listed for persons 14 years old and over.

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B.2 - 1960 CENSUS: EMPLOYMENT STATUS, MALES 14 YEARS AND OVER (CIVILIAN LABOR FORCE)

STATUS	TOTAL	
	#	%
EMPLOYED	1621	92.6
UNEMPLOYED	128	7.4

B.3 - 1960 CENSUS: EMPLOYMENT STATUS, FEMALES 14 YEARS AND OVER (CIVILIAN LABOR FORCE)

STATUS	TOTAL	
	#	%
EMPLOYED	874	92.7
UNEMPLOYED	68	7.3

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B.4 - 1970 CENSUS: EMPLOYMENT STATUS BY RACE OF MALES 16 YEARS AND OVER (CIVILIAN LABOR FORCE)

STATUS	POPULATION		WHITE		BLACK	
	#	%	#	%	#	%
EMPLOYED	1226	90.8	1209	90.8	-	-
UNEMPLOYED	123	9.2	123	9.2	-	-
TOTAL	1349	100.0	1332	100.0	-	-

B.5 - 1970 CENSUS: EMPLOYMENT STATUS BY RACE OF FEMALES 16 YEARS AND OVER (CIVILIAN LABOR FORCE)

STATUS	POPULATION		WHITE		BLACK	
	#	%	#	%	#	%
EMPLOYED	1027	96.1	1021	96.1	-	-
UNEMPLOYED	41	3.9	41	3.9	-	-
TOTAL	1068	100.0	1062	100.0	-	-

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B.6 - 1960, 1970 CENSUS: MEDIAN INCOME

6.1 1960 MEDIAN INCOME [1]

YEAR	ALL FAMILIES AND UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS
1960	$3754

6.2 1970 MEDIAN INCOME

YEAR	ALL FAMILIES	ALL UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS
1970	$6,992	$2,368

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1) 1960 Median Income Data is not disaggregated by families and unrelated individuals.

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B.7 - 1970 CENSUS: PERSONS BELOW POVERTY LEVEL		
TOTAL POPULATION		
# PERSONS	% OF NEIGHBORHOOD POPULATION	% OF TOTAL POPULATION OF PROVIDENCE BELOW POVERTY LEVEL
1301	23.0	4.0

B.8 - 1970 CENSUS: NUMBER OF RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 IN FAMILIES BELOW POVERTY LEVEL BY RACE								
TOTAL POPULATION			WHITE		BLACK		OTHER	
# PERSONS	% OF NEIGHBORHOOD POPULATION BELOW 18 YEARS	% OF RELATED CHILDREN IN PROVIDENCE UNDER 18 YEARS, BELOW POVERTY LEVEL	#	%	#	%	#	%
47	30.0	4.3	465	98.7	-	-	6	1.3

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B.9 - 1972-1977: DECEMBER AFDC CASES

YEAR	NUMBER OF CASES	% OF CASES IN PROVIDENCE
1972	181	3.3
1973	196	3.6
1974	210	3.8
1975	261	4.6
1976	259	4.5
1977	250	4.2

B. 10 - 1970 CENSUS: FAMILIES RECEIVING PUBLIC ASSISTANCE

# FAMILIES RECEIVING PUBLIC ASSISTANCE	% OF ALL FAMILIES IN NEIGHBORHOOD	% OF FAMILIES IN PROVIDENCE RECEIVING PUBLIC ASSISTANCE
96	4.5	6.5

B.11 - 1970 CENSUS: UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS RECEIVING PUBLIC ASSISTANCE

# PERSONS	% OF UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS IN NEIGHBORHOOD	% OF TOTAL UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS RECEIVING PUBLIC ASSISTANCE IN PROVIDENCE
288	38.8	1.6

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C.1 - 1975: TOTAL HOUSING, VACANCY RATE, AND UNITS IN NEED OF SUBSTANTIAL REHABILITATION

Characteristics	Number
Total Housing Units	2149
Vacancy Rate	1.9%
% of Units in Need of Substantial Rehabilitation *	54.9

* The need for "substantial rehabilitation" was determined by the Department of Planning and Urban Development based on a survey which considered structural factors including: Foundation, Exterior Shell, Porches and Stairs, Gutters and Down Spouts, Doors and Windows, Roof and Chimney.

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C.2 - 1970 CENSUS: UNITS IN STRUCTURE AS A PERCENTAGE OF NEIGHBORHOOD'S HOUSING STRUCTURES		
	1970	
NUMBER OF UNITS IN STRUCTURE	#	%
1 (INCLUDES MOBILE HOME/ TRAILER)	119	5.0
2	575	24.1
3 AND 4	1,268	53.1
5 TO 49	416	17.4
50 AND OVER	10	0.4
TOTAL YEAR-ROUND HOUSING UNITS	2,388	100.0

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C.3 - 1970 CENSUS: AGE OF NEIGHBORHOOD HOUSING AS A PERCENTAGE OF TOTAL NEIGHBORHOOD HOUSING UNITS

AGE OF HOUSING	#	%
1969 TO MARCH 1970	-	-
1965 TO 1968	-	-
1960 TO 1964	6	0.3
1950 TO 1959	53	2.2
1940 TO 1949	66	2.8
1939 AND EARLIER	2,263	94.8
TOTAL	2,388	100.0

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C.4 - 1960. 1970 CENSUS: HOUSING UNITS BY OWNER AND RENTER

	1960	1970	Net Change 1960-1970
Total Housing Units	2540	2388	- 152
Owner Occupied	574	536	- 38
Renter Occupied	1749	1622	- 127
Vacancy Rate	8.5%	9.6%	+ 12.9%

C.5 - 1970 CENSUS: MEDIAN VALUE OR RENT OF OCCUPIED UNITS

STATUS	1970
Median Value	$9,900
Median Rent	$44

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C.6 - 1960, 1970 CENSUS: RENTER-OCCUPIED AS A PERCENTAGE OF NEIGHBORHOOD'S RENTED UNITS

	1960		1970	
	#	%	#	%
Total - Rented Units	1705	100.0	1622	100.0
Less Than $40	487	28.6	20	1.2
$40 to $59	891	52.3	329	20.3
$60 to $79	287	16.8	557	34.3
$80 to $99	40	2.3	468	28.9
$100 to $149	-	-	184	11.3
$150 and Over	-	-	5	0.3
No Cash Rents	-	-	59	3.6
Median Rent	$48	-	$75	-

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C. 7 - 1970 CENSUS: VALUE OF OWNER OCCUPIED HOUSING BY HEAD OF HOUSEHOLD

	TOTAL OWNER OCCUPIED UNITS	
SINGLE FAMILY	#	%
Less Than $5,000	7	9.0
$5,000 - $7,499	13	16.9
$7,500 - $9,999	19	24.7
$10,000 - $14,999	26	53.8
$15,000 - $19,999	6	7.8
$20,000 - $24,999	0	.0
$25,000 - $34,999	5	6.5
$35,000 - $49,999	1	1.3
$50,000 and over	0	.0
TOTAL	77	100.0

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C.8 - 1960, 1970 CENSUS: DENSITY OF RESIDENCE WITHIN HOUSING UNIT

	1960		1970	
	#	%	#	%
TOTAL NUMBER OF OCCUPIED UNITS	2323	100.0	2158	100.0
ROOMS WITH 1.00 PERSONS OR LESS	2134	91.9	2012	93.2
ROOMS WITH 1.01 PERSONS OR MORE	189	8.1	146	6.8
MEDIAN PERSONS PER OCCUPIED UNIT	2.6	-	2.2	-

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C. 9 - 1970 CENSUS: NUMBER OF AUTOMOBILES AVAILABLE BY HOUSEHOLD

Automobiles	# Households
One	1130
Two	252
Three or More	8
None	768

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C. 10 1975 DISTRIBUTION OF LAND USE BY NEIGHBORHOOD

LAND USE CATEGORY	LAND AREA IN SQ. FT.	% OF TOTAL AREA
Undeveloped Land and Water Areas	1,383,742	13.7
Residential Uses (Total)	3,374,916	33.3
One Family	410,205	4.0
Two Family	826,406	8.2
Three Family	1,084,227	10.7
Multi-Family	710,515	7.0
Other	343,563	3.4
Manufacturing	2,630,119	26.0
Transportation, Communication and Utilities	834,638	8.2
Trade (Total)	805,912	8.0
Wholesale	66,973	0.7
Retail	738,939	7.3
General Services	253,196	2.5
Institutional and Governmental Services (Total)	585,312	5.8
Education (Nursery, Primary and Secondary)	247,210	2.4
Educational Services (other)	29,715	0.3
Religious Services	111,862	1.1
Medical and Health Services	--	--
Government	52,228	.5
Other (Service Organizations, Cemeteries, etc.)	144,297	1.4
Cultural, Entertainment, and Recreation Services	260,208	2.6
Resource Production and Extraction	--	--
Totals	10,128,043	100.0

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D. I - 1966-1974: NET EFFECT OF RESIDENT BIRTHS AND DEATHS

YEAR	BIRTHS	% OF CITY BIRTHS	DEATHS	% OF CITY DEATHS	NET EFFECT
1966	125	3.8	91	3.4	+34
1967	122	3.9	96	3.6	+26
1968	123	3.9	106	4.0	+17
1969	115	3.7	71	2.9	+44
1970	124	3.9	82	3.4	+42
1971	105	3.6	75	3.1	+30
1972	73	2.9	91	4.0	-18
1973	85	3.6	66	2.8	+19
1974	70	3.3	74	3.5	-4
TOTALS	942	-	752	-	+190
5 YR. AVERAGE 1970-74	91.4	3.5	77.6	3.4	+13.8

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D.2 - 1970-1974: SELECTED HEALTH INDICES: MORTALITY

	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	5 YEAR AVERAGE
Deaths by Cause						
Malignant Neoplasms	16	16	12	15	18	15.4
Lung	-	4	2	3	4	2.6
Breast	3	1	1	3	1	1.8
Cervix	-	-	-	1	1	0.4
Colon & Rectum	1	3	1	2	2	1.8
Diabetes Mellitus	3	4	6	1	3	3.4
Cadiovascular Disease	43	41	53	37	32	41.2
Heart Disease (All Forms)	31	32	40	29	25	31.4
Myocardial Infarction	14	13	23	15	11	15.2
Chronic Ischemic Heart Dis.	12	13	12	11	11	11.8
Cerebrovascular Disease	7	7	11	6	4	7.0
Respiratory Disease	4	6	4	3	6	4.6
Pneumonia/Influenza	1	5	2	3	3	2.8
Emphysema	1	-	1	6	-	0.4
Gastrointestinal Disease	5	1	4	4	2	3.2
Cirrhosis of the Liver	2	-	1	3	1	1.4
External Causes	6	4	4	4	7	5.0
Motor Vehicle Accidents	2	1	1	2	-	1.2
Total Deaths	82	75	91	66	74	77.6
Mean Age at Death	66.4	69.5	65.7	67.8	66.7	67.1
Infant Deaths	4	-	3	1	1	1.8
Number Age 65 and Over	50	50	5	4	44	48.6

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D.3 - 1970-1974: SELECTED HEALTH INDICIES: NATALITY						
INDICIES	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	Five Year Average
LIVE BIRTHS	124	105	73	85	70	91.4
NEWBORNS WEIGHING BELOW 2500 GRAMS (5½ LBS.)	10	7	4	6	2	5.8
BIRTHS TO MOTHERS UNDER AGE 20	29	23	17	21	18	21.6
BIRTHS TO MOTHERS AGE 35 AND OVER	4	1	5	2	2	2.8
BIRTHS OF PARITY GREATER THAN 3	21	19	2	7	6	13.0

D.4 - 1977: ADMISSIONS AND RATE/THOUSAND TO PROVIDENCE MENTAL HEALTH CENTER		
ADMISSIONS	RATE/THOUSAND	% OF NEIGHBORHOOD POPULATION
8	13.8	1.4

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E.1 - 1972, 1973: FAMILY COURT HEARINGS OTHER THAN WAYWARD/DELINQUENT (MOTOR VEHICLE VIOLATIONS EXCLUDED), MALE AND FEMALE CHILDREN

	1973		1972	
MALE CHILDREN	# CASES	% CITY CASES	# CASES	% CITY CASES
NEW	3	1.2	11	3.9
REPEATERS	4	1.2	10	3.7
VIOLATORS OF PROBATION	2	0.7	10	2.9

	1973		1972	
FEMALE CHILDREN	# CASES	% CITY CASES	# CASES	% CITY CASES
NEW	1	1.2	2	2.1
REPEATERS	1	2.1	1	2.3
VIOLATORS OF PROBATION	1	2.7	2	8.3

	1973		1972	
TOTAL CHILDREN	# CASES	% CITY CASES	# CASES	% CITY CASES
NEW	4	1.2	13	3.5
REPEATERS	5	1.4	11	3.5
VIOLATORS OF PROBATION	3	0.9	12	3.3

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E. 2 - 1972, 1973: NON-JUDICIAL MOTOR VEHICLE VIOLATIONS ONLY

	1973		1972	
MALE CHILDREN	# CASES	% CITY CASES	# CASES	% CITY CASES
NEW	3	3.8	3	3.7
REPEATERS	1	6.6	-	-
VIOLATORS OF PROBATION	1	100.0	-	-

	1973		1972	
FEMALE CHILDREN	# CASES	% CITY CASES	# CASES	% CITY CASES
NEW	-	-	-	-
REPEATERS	-	-	-	-
VIOLATORS OF PROBATION	-	-	-	-

	1973		1972	
TOTAL CHILDREN	# CASES	% CITY CASES	# CASES	% CITY CASES
NEW	3	3.3	3	3.2
REPEATERS	1	6.2	-	-
VIOLATORS OF PROBATION	1	100.0	-	-

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E.3 - 1972, 1973: NON-JUDICIAL - OTHER THAN WAYWARD/DELINQUENT
(MOTOR VEHICLE VIOLATIONS EXCLUDED)

MALE CHILDREN	1973		1972	
	# CASES	% CITY CASES	# CASES	% CITY CASES
NEW	1	2.7	-	-
REPEATERS	1	6.6	-	-
VIOLATORS OF PROBATION	-	-	-	-

FEMALE CHILDREN	1973		1972	
	# CASES	% CITY CASES	# CASES	% CITY CASES
NEW	-	-	-	-
REPEATERS	-	-	-	-
VIOLATORS OF PROBATION	-	-	-	-

TOTAL CHILDREN	1973		1972	
	# CASES	% CITY CASES	# CASES	% CITY CASES
NEW	1	16.9	-	-
REPEATERS	1	5.9	-	-
VIOLATORS OF PROBATION	-	-	-	-

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E. 4 - 1972, 1973: HEARINGS - MOTOR VEHICLE VIOLATIONS ONLY

	1973		1972	
MALE CHILDREN	# CASES	% CITY CASES	# CASES	% CITY CASES
NEW	-	-	3	4.3
REPEATERS	2	3.3	1	1.9
VIOLATORS OF PROBATION	-	-	-	-

	1973		1972	
FEMALE CHILDREN	# CASES	% CITY CASES	# CASES	% CITY CASES
NEW	-	-	-	-
REPEATERS	-	-	-	-
VIOLATORS OF PROBATION	-	-	-	-

	1973		1972	
TOTAL CHILDREN	# CASES	% CITY CASES	# CASES	% CITY CASES
NEW	-	-	3	23.0
REPEATERS	2	3.2	1	50.0
VIOLATORS OF PROBATION	-	-	-	-

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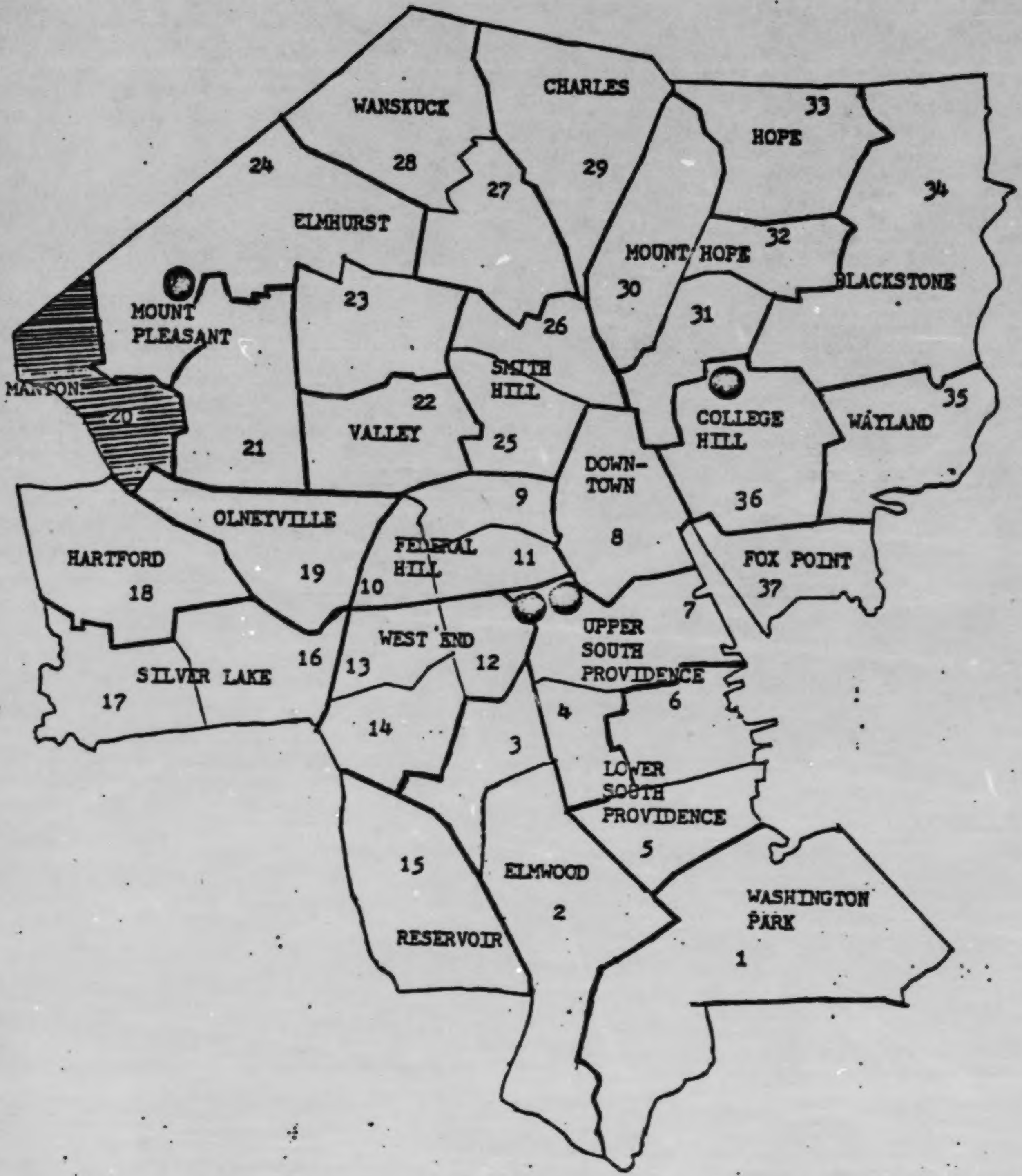
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MANTON

The Manton neighborhood, located on the western edge of the City of Providence, is composed of census tract 20. It is bounded on the north by North Providence, on the south by Rhode Island Route 195, on the east by the Elmhurst, Mount Pleasant, and Olneyville neighborhoods, and on the west by the town of Johnston.

Manton was part of the original Providence Colony procured by Roger Williams in 1636, and ever since its early farming days has served primarily as a suburban-like community.

Today, Manton retains much of its early wooded appearance with over one-third of the land remaining undeveloped. Most of this neighborhood is used for residential purposes. The single-family dwelling is the predominant structure, however, the Manton Heights Housing Project provides shelter for those of low income.

In 1970, the population of Manton was 3,811 with a racial and ethnic composition of 98.5% White, 1.3% Black and 0.2% Spanish speaking. Between the years of 1960-1970, there was a net decrease of 58 whites (1.5%) coupled with an increase of 71 (253.6%) non-whites. In 1970 the total foreign stock population for Manton numbered 1192. The four most frequent countries of origin were Italy (56.8%), Canada (12.4%), United Kingdom (8.9%), and Ireland (7.3%). English is the predominantly spoken language.

Between the years 1960 and 1970 the median income for all families rose from $4,692 to $6,995, an increase of 49.1%. In 1970, the median income for all unrelated individuals was $2,452. In 1960, 875 (94.9%) of Manton male population fourteen years and older was employed in the civilian labor force as opposed to 499 (95.2%) of the female population. By 1970 the percentage of males sixteen years and older has decreased to 93.1% (705) and 86.6% (520) for the female population. The unemployment rate for 1960 and 1970 was 5.0% and 5.1% respectively.

In 1970, 60 (4.83%) of the neighborhood's families were receiving public assistance as were 209 (37.1%) of all unrelated individuals. Between the years 1972 and 1977, the number of AFDC recipients changed from 101 to 111, which both correspond to 1.9% of the number of cases for the City of Providence.

The general housing indicators for Manton have shown variation between 1960 and 1970. The number of owner occupied units was 451 in 1960 and 560 in 1970. During this same timespan, the number of renter occupied units changed from 620 to 629 with a vacancy rate decrease from 4.1% to 3.8%. In 1970, the median value of occupied units was $16,100, with the median rent $56.00. In 1975, the number of units in need of substantial rehabilitation totalled 776 (56.1%). Between 1960 and 1970, the total number of rented units increased from 608 to 629 with a change in rents from $48.00 to $64.00. In 1970 the breakdown of the age of housing as a percentage of the number of housing units appeared as follows: 0.4% built between 1969 and 1970; 1.7% 1965 to 1968; 1.0% 1960 to 1964; 6.5% 1950 to 1959; 3.4% 1940 to 1949; and 86.4% constructed prior to 1939. Also in 1970 there were 510 households with one automobile, 281 with two and 7 with three or more. Three-hundred ninety-one households were listed as having none at all. The median years of education completed in 1970 by persons twenty-five years and older was 10.2 for the total population.

Currently there are 166 eighth through eleventh graders in Manton which is a part of the Mount Pleasant High School feeder pattern. Of these 166 students, there are 138 (83.1%) Whites, 11 (6.6%) Blacks, and 17 (10.2%) Hispanic. With an enrollment of 166, Manton ranks 16th in total high school student enrollment. At the present time, there is one bus route directly to Central/Classical, and none to Hope or Mount Pleasant.

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A.1 - 1960, 1975: TOTAL POPULATION BY 5 YEAR INTERVALS

POPULATION	YEAR			
	1960	1965	1970	1975
NUMBER	3,798	3,751	3,811	3,761
% OF TOTAL POPULATION OF PROVIDENCE	1.9	2.1	2.1	2.3

A.2 - 1960, 1970: POPULATION BY WHITE AND NON-WHITE

POPULATION	YEAR	
	1960	1970
WHITE	3,770	3,712
NON-WHITE	28	99

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A.3 - 1960, 1970 CENSUS: POPULATION BY RACE AND SPANISH LANGUAGE

YEAR	TOTAL POPULATION	WHITE #	WHITE %	NON-WHITE #	NON-WHITE %	BLACK #	BLACK %	SPANISH LANGUAGE #	SPANISH LANGUAGE %
1960	3798	3770	99.3	28	0.7	25	0.7	N/A	N/A
1970	3811	3712	97.4	99	2.6	50	1.3	N/A	N/A
1960-1970 Increase (+) Decrease (-)		-58	-1.5	+71	+253.6	+25	+100.0	N/A	N/A
% Change in Proportional Distribution		-1.9		+1.9		+0.6		N/A	

A.4 - 1970 CENSUS: FERTILITY RATIO BY POPULATION

Total Population	96.3

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A.5 - 1970 CENSUS: PERSONS 25 YEARS OF AGE AND OVER BY RACE AND YEARS OF SCHOOL COMPLETED

LEVEL AND YEARS OF SCHOOL COMPLETED	TOTAL POPULATION		WHITE		BLACK		OTHER	
	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%
NO SCHOOL YEAR COMPLETED	78	3.8	78	3.9	-	-	-	-
ELEMENTARY: 1-4 YEARS	96	4.7	96	4.8	-	-	-	-
5-7 YEARS	280	13.8	280	13.9	-	-	-	-
8 YEARS	271	13.3	271	13.5	-	-	-	-
HIGH SCHOOL: 1-3 YEARS	716	35.2	714	35.5	-	-	2	100.0
4 YEARS	433	21.2	418	20.8	15	75.0	-	-
COLLEGE: 1-3 YEARS	94	4.6	89	4.4	5	25.0	-	-
4 YEARS OR MORE	68	3.3	68	3.4	-	-	-	-
TOTAL	2036	100.0	2014	100.0	20	100.0	2	100.0

A.6 - 1970 CENSUS: MEDIAN SCHOOL YEARS COMPLETED
TOTAL POPULATION
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A.7 - 1970 CENSUS: NATIVITY AND PARENTAGE

NATIVITY	TOTAL POPULATION	
	#	%
NATIVE OF NATIVE PARENT	2619	68.7
FOREIGN STOCK	1192	31.3
TOTAL	3811	100.0

A.8 - 1970 CENSUS: MOST FREQUENT COUNTRY OF ORIGIN OF FOREIGN STOCK

COUNTRY OF ORIGIN	# OF PERSONS	% FOREIGN STOCK POPULATION
ITALY	677	56.8
CANADA	148	12.4
UNITED KINGDOM	107	8.9
IRELAND	87	7.3

A.9 - 1970 CENSUS: SPANISH POPULATION INDICATORS

INDICATORS	# OF PERSONS	% OF TOTAL POPULATION
SPANISH LANGUAGE	N/A	N/A

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B.1 - 1970 CENSUS: NUMBER OF EMPLOYED PERSONS 16 YEARS OLD AND OVER BY OCCUPATION

OCCUPATION	1960[1]		1970							
	TOTAL PERSONS EMPLOYED		TOTAL PERSONS EMPLOYED		WHITE		BLACK		SPANISH	
	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%
Professional, Technical and Kindred Workers	111	8.9	88	7.1	88	7.3	-	-	-	-
Managers and Administrators Except Farm	60	4.8	40	3.2	40	3.3	-	-	-	-
Sales Workers	55	4.4	74	6.0	74	6.1	-	-	-	-
Clerical and Kindred Workers	234	18.7	224	18.2	217	18.0	7	41.2	-	-
Craftsmen, Foremen and Kindred Workers	222	17.7	217	17.7	211	17.5	6	35.3	-	-
Operatives, Except Transport	411	32.9	328	26.7	328	27.2	-	-	-	-
Transport Equipment Operatives	19	1.5	68	5.5	68	5.6	-	-	-	-
Laborers, Except Farm	47	3.8	31	2.5	31	2.6	-	-	-	-
Farmers and Farm Managers Farm Laborers and Foremen	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Service Workers, Except Private Household	111	8.9	155	12.6	149	12.4	4	23.5	-	-
Private Household Workers	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
TOTAL	1251	100.0	1225	100.0	1206	100.0	17	100.0	-	-

[1] 1960 data listed for persons 14 years old and over.

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B.2 - 1960 CENSUS: EMPLOYMENT STATUS, MALES 14 YEARS AND OVER (CIVILIAN LABOR FORCE)		
STATUS	TOTAL	
	#	%
EMPLOYED	875	94.9
UNEMPLOYED	47	5.1

B.3 - 1960 CENSUS: EMPLOYMENT STATUS, FEMALES 14 YEARS AND OVER (CIVILIAN LABOR FORCE)		
STATUS	TOTAL	
	#	%
EMPLOYED	499	95.2
UNEMPLOYED	25	4.8

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B.4 - 1970 CENSUS: EMPLOYMENT STATUS BY RACE OF MALES 16 YEARS AND OVER (CIVILIAN LABOR FORCE)

STATUS	POPULATION		WHITE		BLACK	
	#	%	#	%	#	%
EMPLOYED	705	93.1	697	93.1	6	100.0
UNEMPLOYED	52	6.9	52	6.9	0	-
TOTAL	757	100.0	749	100.0	6	100.0

B.5 - 1970 CENSUS: EMPLOYMENT STATUS BY RACE OF FEMALES 16 YEARS AND OVER (CIVILIAN LABOR FORCE)

STATUS	POPULATION		WHITE		BLACK	
	#	%	#	%	#	%
EMPLOYED	520	86.6	509	86.4	11	100.0
UNEMPLOYED	80	13.4	80	13.6	0	-
TOTAL	600	100.0	589	100.0	11	100.0

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B.6 - 1960, 1970 CENSUS: MEDIAN INCOME

6.1 1960 MEDIAN INCOME [1]

YEAR	ALL FAMILIES AND UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS
1960	$4342

6.2 1970 MEDIAN INCOME

YEAR	ALL FAMILIES	ALL UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS
1970	$6,995	$2,452

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1) 1960 Median Income Data is not disaggregated by families and unrelated individuals.

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B.7 - 1970 CENSUS: PERSONS BELOW POVERTY LEVEL		
TOTAL POPULATION		
# PERSONS	% OF NEIGHBORHOOD POPULATION	% OF TOTAL POPULATION OF PROVIDENCE BELOW POVERTY LEVEL
857	22.5	2.7

B.8 - 1970 CENSUS: NUMBER OF RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 IN FAMILIES BELOW POVERTY LEVEL BY RACE

TOTAL POPULATION			WHITE		BLACK		OTHER	
# PERSONS	% OF NEIGHBORHOOD POPULATION BELOW 18 YEARS	% OF RELATED CHILDREN IN PROVIDENCE UNDER 18 YEARS, BELOW POVERTY LEVEL	#	%	#	%	#	%
462	32.3	4.2	399	86.4	63	13.6	-	-

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B.9 - 1972-1977: DECEMBER AFDC CASES

YEAR	NUMBER OF CASES	% OF CASES IN PROVIDENCE
1972	138	2.5
1973	139	2.6
1974	126	2.3
1975	134	2.3
1976	167	2.9
1977	206	1.7

B. 10 - 1970 CENSUS: FAMILIES RECEIVING PUBLIC ASSISTANCE

# FAMILIES RECEIVING PUBLIC ASSISTANCE	% OF ALL FAMILIES IN NEIGHBORHOOD	% OF FAMILIES IN PROVIDENCE RECEIVING PUBLIC ASSISTANCE
96	4.5	9.8

B.11 - 1970 CENSUS: UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS RECEIVING PUBLIC ASSISTANCE

# PERSONS	% OF UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS IN NEIGHBORHOOD	% OF TOTAL UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS RECEIVING PUBLIC ASSISTANCE IN PROVIDENCE
95	39..9	0.5

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C.1 - 1975: TOTAL HOUSING, VACANCY RATE, AND UNITS IN NEED OF SUBSTANTIAL REHABILITATION

Characteristics	Number
Total Housing Units	1384
Vacancy Rate	1.8%
% of Units in Need of Substantial Rehabilitation*	56.1

* The need for "substantial rehabilitation" was determined by the Department of Planning and Urban Development based on a survey which considered structural factors including: Foundation, Exterior Shell, Porches and Stairs, Gutters and Down Spouts, Doors and Windows, Roof and Chimney.

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C.2 - 1970 CENSUS: UNITS IN STRUCTURE AS A PERCENTAGE OF NEIGHBORHOOD'S HOUSING STRUCTURES

	1970	
NUMBER OF UNITS IN STRUCTURE	#	%
1 (INCLUDES MOBILE HOME/ TRAILER)	447	36.2
2	277	22.4
3 AND 4	163	13.2
5 TO 49	347	28.1
50 AND OVER	0	.0
TOTAL YEAR-ROUND HOUSING UNITS	1,234	100.0

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C.3 - 1970 CENSUS: AGE OF NEIGHBORHOOD HOUSING AS A PERCENTAGE OF TOTAL NEIGHBORHOOD HOUSING UNITS

AGE OF HOUSING	#	%
1969 TO MARCH 1970	5	0.4
1965 TO 1968	28	2.3
1960 TO 1964	75	6.1
1950 TO 1959	418	33.9
1940 TO 1949	210	17.0
1939 AND EARLIER	498	40.4
TOTAL	1,234	100.0

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C.4 - 1960, 1970 CENSUS: HOUSING UNITS BY OWNER AND RENTER

	1960	1970	Net Change 1960-1970
Total Housing Units	1112	1237	+ 125
Owner Occupied	451	560	+ 109
Renter Occupied	620	629	+ 9
Vacancy Rate	4.1%	3.8%	- 7.3%

C.5 - 1970 CENSUS: MEDIAN VALUE OR RENT OF OCCUPIED UNITS

STATUS	1970
Median Value	$16,000
Median Rent	$56

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C.6 - 1960, 1970 CENSUS: RENTER-OCCUPIED AS A PERCENTAGE OF NEIGHBORHOOD'S RENTED UNITS

	1960		1970	
	#	%	#	%
Total - Rented Units	608	100.0	629	100.0
Less Than $40	-	-	65	10.3
$40 to $59	230	37.8	217	34.5
$60 to $79	183	30.1	108	17.2
$80 to $99	147	24.2	97	15.4
$100 to $149	44	7.2	132	21.0
$150 and Over	4	0.7	6	0.9
No Cash Rents	-	-	4	0.6
Median Rent	$48	-	$64	-

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C. 7 - 1970 CENSUS: VALUE OF OWNER OCCUPIED HOUSING BY HEAD OF HOUSEHOLD

	TOTAL OWNER OCCUPIED UNITS	
SINGLE FAMILY	#	%
Less Than $5,000	3	.8
$5,000 - $7,499	8	2.0
$7,500 - $9,999	18	4.6
$10,000 - $14,999	127	32.4
$15,000 - $19,999	157	40.1
$20,000 - $24,999	56	14.3
$25,000 - $34,999	21	5.4
$35,000 - $49,999	1	.2
$50,000 and over	1	.2
TOTAL	392	100.0

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C.8 - 1960, 1970 CENSUS: DENSITY OR RESIDENCE WITHIN HOUSING UNIT

	1960		1970	
	#	%	#	%
TOTAL NUMBER OF OCCUPIED UNITS	1071	100.0	1189	100.0
ROOMS WITH 1.00 PERSONS OR LESS	941	87.9	1087	91.4
ROOMS WITH 1.01 PERSONS OR MORE	130	12.1	102	8.6
MEDIAN PERSONS PER OCCUPIED UNIT	3.3	-	2.8	-

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C. 9 - 1970 CENSUS: NUMBER OF AUTOMOBILES AVAILABLE BY HOUSEHOLD

Automobiles	# Households
One	510
Two	281
Three or More	7
None	391

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C. 10 1975 DISTRIBUTION OF LAND USE BY NEIGHBORHOOD

LAND USE CATEGORY	LAND AREA IN SQ. FT.	% OF TOTAL AREA
Undeveloped Land and Water Areas	4,204,339	39.1
Residential Uses (Total)	5,493,233	51.1
One Family	2,507,[illegible]9	23.3
Two Family	844,639	7.9
Three Family	233,711	2.2
Multi-Family	963,655	9.0
Other	944,049	8.8
Manufacturing	168,329	1.6
Transportation, Communication and Utilities	60,116	.6
Trade (Total)	129,546	1.2
Wholesale	41,182	.4
Retail	88,364	.8
General Services	58,438	.5
Institutional and Governmental Services (Total)	474,626	4.4
Education (Nursery, Primary and Secondary)	72,285	.7
Educational Services (other)	358,781	3.3
Religious Services	43,560	.4
Medical and Health Services	--	--
Government	--	--
Other (Service Organizations, Cemeteries, etc.)	--	--
Cultural, Entertainment, and Recreation Services	--	--
Resource Production and Extraction	162,469	1.5
Totals	10,751,096	100.0

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D. 1 - 1966-1974: NET EFFECT OF RESIDENT BIRTHS AND DEATHS

YEAR	BIRTHS	% OF CITY BIRTHS	DEATHS	% OF CITY DEATHS	NET EFFECT
1966	80	2.4	31	1.2	+49
1967	60	1.9	35	1.3	+25
1968	63	2.0	40	1.5	+23
1969	67	2.2	45	1.8	+22
1970	72	2.3	29	1.2	+43
1971	49	1.7	41	1.7	+8
1972	46	1.8	44	1.9	+2
1973	33	1.4	32	1.4	+1
1974	40	1.9	35	1.6	+5
TOTALS	510	-	332	-	+178
5 YR. AVERAGE 1970-74	48.0	1.8	36.2	1.6	+11.8

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D.2 - 1970-1974: SELECTED HEALTH INDICES: MORTALITY

	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	5 YEAR AVERAGE
ths by Cause						
alignant Neoplasms	5	10	8	4	5	6.4
Lung	-	2	2	1	1	1.2
Breast	1	4	1	-	-	1.2
Cervix	-	-	1	-	-	0.2
Colon & Rectum	1	1	1	-	1	0.8
iabetes Mellitus	2	3	1	1	2	1.8
adiovascular Disease	13	20	25	18	23	19.8
Heart Disease (All Forms)	8	18	22	14	23	17.0
Myocardial Infarction	3	10	8	7	8	7.2
Chronic Ischemic Heart Dis.	4	6	10	5	11	7.2
Cerebrovascular Disease	3	1	2	4	-	2.0
espiratory Disease	5	3	3	2	2	3.0
Pneumonia/Influenza	3	3	3	2	1	2.4
Emphysema	-	-	-	-	-	-
astrointestinal Disease	1	1	1	1	-	0.8
Cirrhosis of the Liver	-	-	-	-	-	-
ternal Causes	1	2	3	3	2	2.2
Motor Vehicle Accidents	-	-	1	-	1	0.4

l Deaths	29	41	44	32	35	36.2
ean Age at Death	71.0	69.5	64.8	62.3	67.5	66.9
fant Deaths	1	2	1	1	1	1.2
mber Age 65 and Over	20	33	30	18	19	24.0

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D.3 - 1970-1974: SELECTED HEALTH INDICIES: NATALITY

INDICIES	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	Five Year Average
LIVE BIRTHS	72	49	46	33	40	48.0
NEWBORNS WEIGHING BELOW 2500 GRAMS (5½ LBS.)	2	5	9	4	4	4.8
BIRTHS TO MOTHERS UNDER AGE 20	11	9	11	8	5	8.8
BIRTHS TO MOTHERS AGE 35 AND OVER	9	2	3	3	4	4.2
BIRTHS OF PARITY GREATER THAN 3	26	13	11	10	7	13.4

D.4 - 1977: ADMISSIONS AND RATE/THOUSAND TO PROVIDENCE MENTAL HEALTH CENTER

ADMISSIONS	RATE/THOUSAND	% OF NEIGHBORHOOD POPULATION
36	9.4	0.9

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E.1 - 1972, 1973: FAMILY COURT HEARINGS OTHER THAN WAYWARD/DELINQUENT (MOTOR VEHILCE VIOLATIONS EXCLUDED), MALE AND FEMALE CHILDREN

	1973		1972	
MALE CHILDREN	# CASES	% CITY CASES	# CASES	% CITY CASES
NEW	14	5.8	6	2.2
REPEATERS	8	2.5	8	2.9
VIOLATORS OF PROBATION	9	3.3	11	3.2

	1973		1972	
FEMALE CHILDREN	# CASES	% CITY CASES	# CASES	% CITY CASES
NEW	2	2.5	3	3.2
REPEATERS	1	2.1	1	2.3
VIOLATORS OF PROBATION	2	5.5	1	4.2

	1973		1972	
TOTAL CHILDREN	# CASES	% CITY CASES	# CASES	% CITY CASES
NEW	16	5.0	9	2.4
REPEATERS	9	2.4	9	2.8
VIOLATORS OF PROBATION	11	3.5	12	3.3

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E.2 - 1972, 1973: NON-JUDICIAL MOTOR VEHICLE VIOLATIONS ONLY

IALE HILDREN	1973		1972	
	# CASES	% CITY CASES	# CASES	% CITY CASES
IEW	2	2.5	-	-
EPEATERS	1	6.6	1	14.2
IOLATORS OF ROBATION	-	-	-	-

EMALE HILDREN	1973		1972	
	# CASES	% CITY CASES	# CASES	% CITY CASES
IEW	1	8.3	-	-
EPEATERS	-	-	-	-
IOLATORS OF ROBATION	-	-	-	-

OTAL HILDREN	1973		1972	
	# CASES	% CITY CASES	# CASES	% CITY CASES
IEW	3	3.3	-	-
EPEATERS	1	6.2	1	12.5
IOLATORS OF ROBATION	-	-	-	-

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E.4 - 1972, 1973: NON-JUDICIAL - OTHER THAN WAYWARD/DELINQUENT (MOTOR VEHICLE VIOLATIONS EXCLUDED)

	1973		1972	
ALE HILDREN	# CASES	% CITY CASES	# CASES	% CITY CASES
EW	-	-	-	-
EPEATERS	-	-	-	-
IOLATORS OF ROBATION	-	-	-	-

	1973		1972	
EMALE HILDREN	# CASES	% CITY CASES	# CASES	% CITY CASES
EW	-	-	-	-
EPEATERS	-	-	-	-
IOLATORS OF ROBATION	-	-	-	-

	1973		1972	
OTAL HILDREN	# CASES	% CITY CASES	# CASES	% CITY CASES
EW	-	-	-	-
EPEATERS	-	-	-	-
IOLATORS OF ROBATION	-	-	-	-

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E.4 - 1972, 1973: HEARINGS - MOTOR VEHICLE VIOLATIONS ONLY

ALE HILDREN	1973		1972	
	# CASES	% CITY CASES	# CASES	% CITY CASES
EW	1	1.5	1	1.4
EPEATERS	3	5.0	2	3.9
IOLATORS OF ROBATION	2	5.7	3	5.5

EMALE HILDREN	1973		1972	
	# CASES	% CITY CASES	# CASES	% CITY CASES
EW	-	-	-	-
EPEATERS	-	-	1	-
IOLATORS OF ROBATION	-	-	-	-

OTAL HILDREN	1973		1972	
	# CASES	% CITY CASES	# CASES	% CITY CASES
EW	1	1.3	1	1.2
EPEATERS	3	4.8	3	5.6
IOLATORS OF ROBATION	2	5.7	3	7.7

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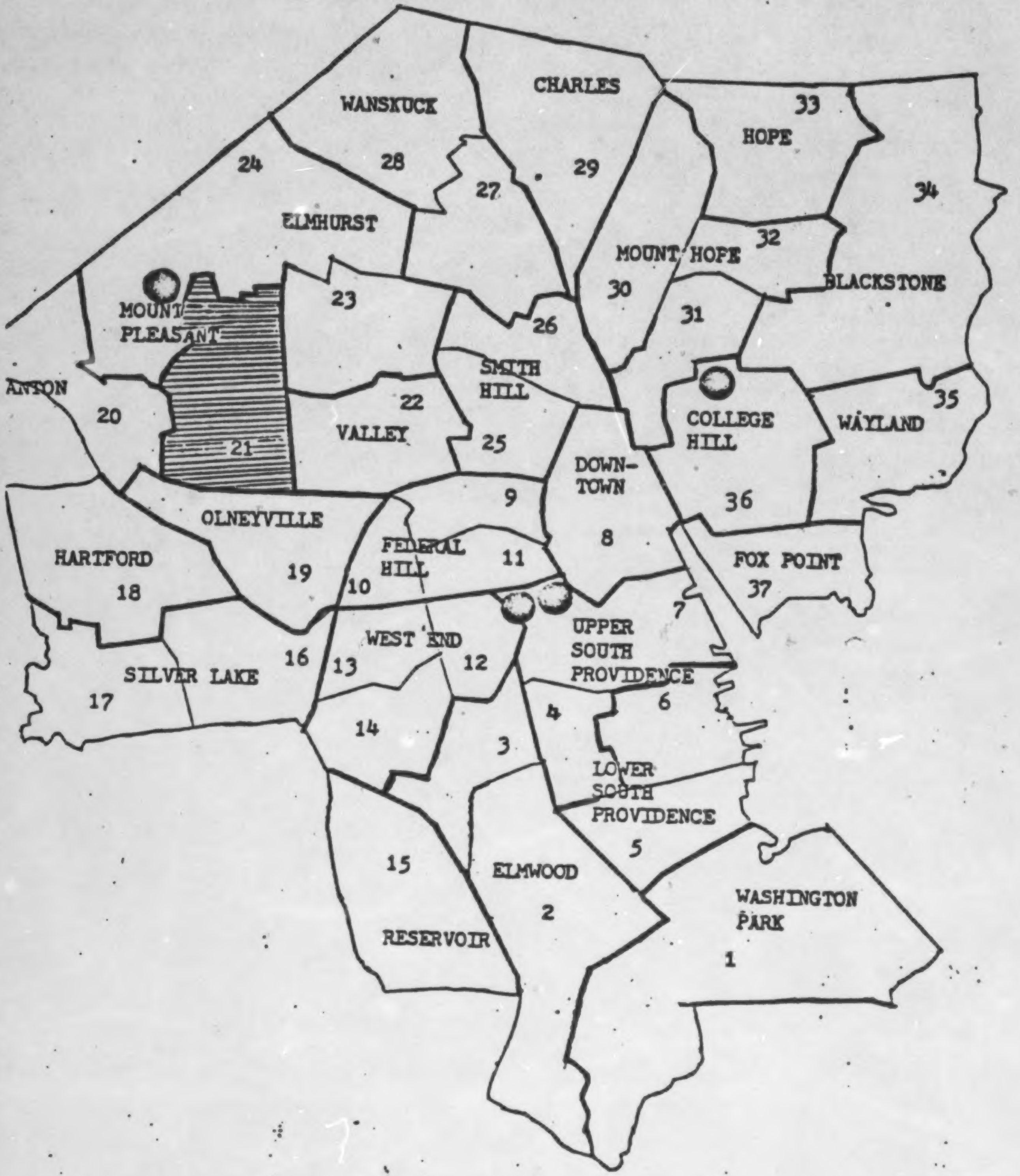

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The Mount Pleasant neighborhood, composed of census tract 21 is located in the north-west portion of the City of Providence. It is bounded on the easy by Academy Avenue, on the west by the Manton neighborhood, on the north by the Elmhurst neighborhood, and on the south by Atwells Avenue.

Like the other neighborhoods surrounding Mount Pleasant, this area was given over almost exclusively to farms through the first centuries after Roger Williams' purchase. There had never been any significant industrial or commercial development here until the 20th century which brought rapid residential construction. Today, Mount Pleasant carries on the residential tradition with approximately 88% of the neighborhood composed of this particular use.

In 1970, the population of Mount Pleasant was 8,692 with a racial and ethnic composition of 99.7% White, 0.0% Black and 0.3% Spanish speaking and other groups. Between the years of 1960-1970, there was a net decrease of 471 whites (5.2%) coupled with an increase of 36 (0.2%) non-whites. The total foreign stock population for Mount Pleasant numbered 4,220, with the four most frequent countries of origin were Italy (56.0%), Canada (11.3%), Ireland (6.6%) and Poland (3.1%). English is the predominantly spoken language.

Between the years of 1960 and 1970 the median income for all families rose from $5,846 to $9,432, an increase of 61.3%. In 1970, the median income for all unrelated individuals was $2,500. In 1960, 2375 (94.2%) of Mount Pleasant male population fourteen years and older was employed in the civilian labor force as opposed to 1445 (93.0%) of the female population. By 1970 the percentage of males sixteen years and older had increased to 96.3% (2269) and 95.5% (1692) for the female population. The unemployment rates for 1960 and 1970 were 6.2% and 4.0% respectively.

In 1970, 53 (2.5%) of the neighborhood's families were receiving public assistance, as were 203 (42.0%) of all unrelated individuals. Between the years 1972 and 1977, the number of AFDC recipients changed from 75 to 142 which corresponds to 1.4% and 2.4% of the number of cases for the City of Providence.

The general housing indicators for Mount Pleasant have shown variation between 1960 and 1970. The number of owner occupied units was 1626 in 1960 and 1702 in 1970. During this same timespan the number of renter occupied units changed from 1132 to 1230 with a vacancy rate increase from 2.6% to 3.1%. In 1970, the median value of occupied units was $16,500 and the median rent, $80.00. In 1975, the number of units in need of substantial rehabilitation in Mount Pleasant totalled 257 (8.4%). Between 1960 and 1970, the total number of rented units increased from 1088 to 1226 with a change in rent from $65.00 to $80.00. In 1970 the breakdown of the age of housing as a percentage of the number of housing units appeared as follows: 0.6% built between 1969 and 1970; 2.9% 1965 to 1968; 3.3% 1960 to 1964; 11.7% 1950 to 1959; 8.9% 1940 to 1949;

and 72.6% constructed prior to 1939. Also in 1970 there were 1495 households with one automobile, 805 with two and 105 with three or more. Five-hundred twenty-seven households were listed as having none at all. The median years of education completed in 1970 by persons twenty-five years and older was 10.8 for the total population.

Currently there are 298 eighth through eleventh graders in Mount Pleasant which is a part of the Mount Pleasant High School feeder pattern. Of these 298 students there are 286 (96.0%) whites, 4 (1.3%) blacks and 8 (2.7%) Hispanic and other. With an enrollment of 298, Mount Pleasnat ranks 6th in total high school student enrollment. At the present time, there is no bus route directly to Central/Classical or Hope with one bus route directly to Mount Pleasant High School.

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A.1 - 1960, 1975: TOTAL POPULATION BY 5 YEAR INTERVALS				
POPULATION	YEAR			
	1960	1965	1970	1975
NUMBER	9,127	8,990	8,692	8,154
% OF TOTAL POPULATION OF PROVIDENCE	4.6	5.0	4.9	4.9

A.2 - 1960, 1970: POPULATION BY WHITE AND NON-WHITE		
POPULATION	YEAR	
	1960	1970
WHITE	9,125	8,654
NON-WHITE	2	38

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A.3 - 1960, 1970 CENSUS: POPULATION BY RACE AND SPANISH LANGUAGE

YEAR	TOTAL POPULATION	WHITE		NON-WHITE		BLACK		SPANISH LANGUAGE	
		#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%
1960	9127	9125	99.9	2	0.1	-	-	N/A	N/A
1970	8692	8654	99.6	38	0.4	1	-	24	0.3
1960-1970 Increase (+) Decrease (-)		-471	-5.2	+36	+180.0	+1	-	N/A	N/A
% Change in Proportional Distribution		-0.3		+0.3		-		N/A	

A.4 - 1970 CENSUS: FERTILITY RATIO BY POPULATION

Total Population	81.7

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A.5 - 1970 CENSUS: PERSONS 25 YEARS OF AGE AND OVER BY RACE AND YEARS OF SCHOOL COMPLETED

LEVEL AND YEARS OF SCHOOL COMPLETED	TOTAL POPULATION		WHITE		BLACK		OTHER	
	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%
NO SCHOOL YEAR COMPLETED	215	3.9	215	3.9	-	-	-	-
ELEMENTARY: 1-4 YEARS	204	3.7	200	3.6	-	-	4	30.8
5-7 YEARS	569	10.4	569	10.4	-	-	-	-
8 YEARS	939	17.2	934	17.1	-	-	5	28.4
HIGH SCHOOL: 1-3 YEARS	1309	23.9	1309	24.0	-	-	-	-
4 YEARS	1677	30.7	1673	30.7	-	-	4	30.8
COLLEGE: 1-3 YEARS	232	4.2	232	4.2	-	-	-	-
4 YEARS OR MORE	316	5.8	316	5.8	-	-	-	-
TOTAL	5461	100.0	5448	100.0	-	-	13	100.0

A.6 - 1970 CENSUS: MEDIAN SCHOOL YEARS COMPLETED

TOTAL POPULATION
10.8

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A.7 - 1970 CENSUS: NATIVITY AND PARENTAGE

NATIVITY	TOTAL POPULATION	
	#	%
NATIVE OF NATIVE PARENT	4472	51.4
FOREIGN STOCK	4220	49.6
TOTAL	8692	100.0

A.8 - 1970 CENSUS: MOST FREQUENT COUNTRY OF ORIGIN OF FOREIGN STOCK

COUNTRY OF ORIGIN	# OF PERSONS	% FOREIGN STOCK POPULATION
ITALY	2363	56.0
CANADA	478	11.3
IRELAND	277	6.6
POLAND	129	3.1

A.9 - 1970 CENSUS: SPANISH POPULATION INDICATORS

INDICATORS	# OF PERSONS	% OF TOTAL POPULATION
SPANISH LANGUAGE	24	0.3

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B.1 - 1970 CENSUS: NUMBER OF EMPLOYED PERSONS 16 YEARS OLD AND OVER BY OCCUPATION

OCCUPATION	1960[1]		1970							
	TOTAL PERSONS EMPLOYED		TOTAL PERSONS EMPLOYED		WHITE		BLACK		SPANISH	
	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%
Professional, Technical and Kindred Workers	355	9.8	529	13.3	529	13.4	-	-	-	-
Managers and Administrators Except Farm	233	6.4	187	4.7	187	4.7	-	-	-	-
Sales Workers	278	7.7	237	5.9	237	6.0	-	-	-	-
Clerical and Kindred Workers	640	17.7	765	19.3	760	19.2	-	-	-	-
Craftsmen, Foremen and Kindred Workers	558	15.4	598	15.0	594	15.0	-	-	-	-
Operatives, Except Transport	1064	29.4	873	22.0	868	21.9	-	-	-	-
Transport Equipment Operatives	31	0.9	120	3.0	120	3.0	-	-	-	-
Laborers, Except Farm	104	2.9	130	3.2	130	3.2	-	-	-	-
Farmers and Farm Managers Farm Laborers and Foremen	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Service Workers, Except Private Household	346	9.6	511	12.9	511	12.9	-	-	-	-
Private Household Workers	12	0.3	11	0.2	11	0.3	-	-	-	-
TOTAL	3621	100.0	3961	100.0	3947		-	-	-	-

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[1] 1960 data listed for persons 14 years old and over.

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B.2 - 1960 CENSUS: EMPLOYMENT STATUS, MALES 14 YEARS AND OVER (CIVILIAN LABOR FORCE)

STATUS	TOTAL	
	#	%
EMPLOYED	2375	94.2
UNEMPLOYED	145	5.8

B.3 - 1960 CENSUS: EMPLOYMENT STATUS, FEMALES 14 YEARS AND OVER (CIVILIAN LABOR FORCE)

STATUS	TOTAL	
	#	%
EMPLOYED	1145	93.0
UNEMPLOYED	108	7.0

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B.4 - 1970 CENSUS: EMPLOYMENT STATUS BY RACE OF MALES 16 YEARS AND OVER (CIVILIAN LABOR FORCE)

STATUS	POPULATION		WHITE		BLACK	
	#	%	#	%	#	%
EMPLOYED	2269	96.3	2264	96.3	-	-
UNEMPLOYED	86	3.7	86	3.7	-	-
TOTAL	2355	100.0	2350	100.0	-	-

B.5 - 1970 CENSUS: EMPLOYMENT STATUS BY RACE OF FEMALES 16 YEARS AND OVER (CIVILIAN LABOR FORCE)

STATUS	POPULATION		WHITE		BLACK	
	#	%	#	%	#	%
EMPLOYED	1692	95.5	1683	95.6	-	-
UNEMPLOYED	78	4.5	78	4.4	-	-
TOTAL	1770	100.0	1761	100.0	-	-

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B.6 - 1960, 1970 CENSUS: MEDIAN INCOME

6.1 1960 MEDIAN INCOME [1]

YEAR	ALL FAMILIES AND UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS
1960	$5592

6.2 1970 MEDIAN INCOME

YEAR	ALL FAMILIES	ALL UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS
1970	$9,432	$2,500

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1) 1960 Median Income Data is not disaggregated by families and unrelated individuals.

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B.7 - 1970 CENSUS: PERSONS BELOW POVERTY LEVEL

TOTAL POPULATION		
# PERSONS	% OF NEIGHBORHOOD POPULATION	% OF TOTAL POPULATION OF PROVIDENCE BELOW POVERTY LEVEL
819	9.4	2.5

B.8 - 1970 CENSUS: NUMBER OF RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 IN FAMILIES BELOW POVERTY LEVEL BY RACE

TOTAL POPULATION			WHITE		BLACK		OTHER	
# PERSONS	% OF NEIGHBORHOOD POPULATION BELOW 18 YEARS	% OF RELATED CHILDREN IN PROVIDENCE UNDER 18 YEARS, BELOW POVERTY LEVEL	#	%	#	%	#	%
222	9.7	2.0	222	100.0	-	-	-	-

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B.9 - 1972-1977: DECEMBER AFDC CASES

YEAR	NUMBER OF CASES	% OF CASES IN PROVIDENCE
1972	75	1.4
1973	97	1.8
1974	118	2.1
1975	128	2.2
1976	120	2.0
1977	142	2.4

B. 10 - 1970 CENSUS: FAMILIES RECEIVING PUBLIC ASSISTANCE

# FAMILIES RECEIVING PUBLIC ASSISTANCE	% OF ALL FAMILIES IN NEIGHBORHOOD	% OF FAMILIES IN PROVIDENCE RECEIVING PUBLIC ASSISTANCE
53	2.5	2.1

B.11 - 1970 CENSUS: UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS RECEIVING PUBLIC ASSISTANCE

# PERSONS	% OF UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS IN NEIGHBORHOOD	% OF TOTAL UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS RECEIVING PUBLIC ASSISTANCE IN PROVIDENCE
203	42.0	1.1

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C.1 - 1975: TOTAL HOUSING, VACANCY RATE, AND UNITS IN NEED OF SUBSTANTIAL REHABILITATION

Characteristics	Number
Total Housing Units	3057
Vacancy Rate	N/A
% of Units in Need of Substantial Rehabilitation *	8.4

* The need for "substantial rehabilitation" was determined by the Department of Planning and Urban Development based on a survey which considered structural factors including: Foundation, Exterior Shell, Porches and Stairs, Gutters and Down Spouts, Doors and Windows, Roof and Chimney.

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C.2 - 1970 CENSUS: UNITS IN STRUCTURE AS A PERCENTAGE OF NEIGHBORHOOD'S HOUSING STRUCTURES

	1970	
NUMBER OF UNITS IN STRUCTURE	#	%
1 (INCLUDES MOBILE HOME/ TRAILER)	1,204	39.8
2	1,056	34.9
3 AND 4	669	22.1
5 TO 49	95	3.1
50 AND OVER	0	.0
TOTAL YEAR-ROUND HOUSING UNITS	3,024	100.0

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C.3 - 1970 CENSUS: AGE OF NEIGHBORHOOD HOUSING AS A PERCENTAGE OF TOTAL NEIGHBORHOOD HOUSING UNITS

AGE OF HOUSING	#	%
1969 TO MARCH 1970	19	0.6
1965 TO 1968	88	2.9
1960 TO 1964	99	3.3
1950 TO 1959	354	11.7
1940 TO 1949	269	8.9
1939 AND EARLIER	2,195	72.6
TOTAL	3,024	100.0

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C. 4 - 1970 CENSUS: HOUSING UNITS BY OWNER AND RENTER

	1960	1970	Net Change 1960-1970
Total Housing Units	2833	3028	+ 195
Owner Occupied	1626	1702	+ 76
Renter Occupied	1132	1230	+ 98
Vacancy Rate	2.6%	3.1%	+ 19.2%

C.5 - 1970 CENSUS: MEDIAN VALUE OR RENT OF OCCUPIED UNITS

STATUS	1970
Median Value	$16,500
Median Rent	$63

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C.6 - 1960, 1970 CENSUS: RENTER-OCCUPIED AS A PERCENTAGE OF NEIGHBORHOOD'S RENTED UNITS

	1960		1970	
	#	%	#	%
Total - Rented Units	1088	100.0	1226	100.0
Less Than $40	-	-	3	0.2
$40 to $59	61	5.6	78	6.4
$60 to $79	391	35.9	232	18.9
$80 to $99	388	35.7	346	28.2
$100 to $149	201	18.5	456	37.2
$150 and Over	47	4.3	66	5.4
No Cash Rents	-	-	49	4.0
Median Rent	$65	-	$80	-

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C. 7 - 1970 CENSUS: VALUE OF OWNER OCCUPIED HOUSING BY HEAD OF HOUSEHOLD

	TOTAL OWNER OCCUPIED UNITS	
SINGLE FAMILY	#	%
Less Than $5,000	3	.3
$5,000 - $7,499	21	2.0
$7,500 - $9,999	41	3.9
$10,000 - $14,999	311	29.6
$15,000 - $19,999	431	41.0
$20,000 - $24,999	160	15.2
$25,000 - $34,999	65	6.2
$35,000 - $49,999	13	1.2
$50,000 and over	5	0.5
TOTAL	1050	100.0

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C.8 - 1960, 1970 CENSUS: DENSITY OF RESIDENCE WITHIN HOUSING UNIT

	1960		1970	
	#	%	#	%
TOTAL NUMBER OF OCCUPIED UNITS	2758	100.0	2932	100.0
ROOMS WITH 1.00 PERSONS OR LESS	2618	94.9	2820	96.2
ROOMS WITH 1.01 PERSONS OR MORE	140	5.1	112	3.8
MEDIAN PERSONS PER OCCUPIED UNIT	3.1	-	2.6	-

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C. 9 - 1970 CENSUS: NUMBER OF AUTOMOBILES AVAILABLE BY HOUSEHOLD

Automobiles	# Households
One	1495
Two	805
Three or More	105
None	527

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C. 10 1975 DISTRIBUTION OF LAND USE BY NEIGHBORHOOD

LAND USE CATEGORY	LAND AREA IN SQ. FT.	% OF TOTAL AREA
Undeveloped Land and Water Areas	512,952	4.4
Residential Uses (Total)	10,146,708	87.9
One Family	5,335,313	46.2
Two Family	2,599,194	22.5
Three Family	891,938	7.7
Multi-Family	142,286	1.2
Other	1,177,977	10.2
Manufacturing	9,800	.1
Transportation, Communication and Utilities	296,897	2.6
Trade (Total)	128,948	1.1
Wholesale	6,400	.1
Retail	122,548	1.0
General Services	43,714	.4
Institutional and Governmental Services (Total)	248,261	2.2
Education (Nursery, Primary and Secondary)	176,744	1.5
Educational Services (other)	--	--
Religious Services	64,017	.5
Medical and Health Services	--	--
Government	7,500	.1
Other (Service Organizations, Cemeteries, etc.)	--	--
Cultural, Entertainment, and Recreation Services	156,705	1.4
Resource Production and Extraction	--	--
Totals	11,543,985	100.0

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D. 1 - 1966-1974: NET EFFECT OF RESIDENT BIRTHS AND DEATHS

YEAR	BIRTHS	% OF CITY BIRTHS	DEATHS	% OF CITY DEATHS	NET EFFECT
1966	133	4.0	95	3.6	+38
1967	120	3.8	91	3.4	+29
1968	113	3.6	108	4.1	+5
1969	122	3.9	98	4.0	+24
1970	133	4.2	113	5.5	+20
1971	109	3.8	77	3.2	+32
1972	96	3.8	84	3.7	+12
1973	98	4.1	96	4.1	+2
1974	81	3.8	102	4.8	-21
TOTALS	1005	-	864	-	+141
5 YR. AVERAGE 1970-74	103.4	3.9	94.4	4.3	+9

+66

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D.2 - 1970-1974: SELECTED HEALTH INDICES: MORTALITY

	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	5 YEAR AVERAGE
aths by Cause						
Malignant Neoplasms	23	22	22	17	29	22.6
Lung	5	4	4	2	3	3.6
Breast	-	1	2	1	4	1.6
Cervix	-	-	-	-	1	0.2
Colon & Rectum	3	5	6	1	5	4.2
Diabetes Mellitus	4	3	3	3	2	3.0
Cadiovascular Disease	68	36	42	54	54	50.8
Heart Disease (All Forms)	54	24	36	38	46	39.6
Myocardial Infarction	29	9	17	18	22	19.0
Chronic Ischemic Heart Dis.	19	12	12	16	14	14.6
Cerebrovascular Disease	5	9	3	12	5	6.8
Respiratory Disease	4	8	4	4	6	5.2
Pneumonia/Influenza	3	4	2	3	5	3.4
Emphysema	-	-	-	-	1	0.2
Gastrointestinal Disease	4	1	3	5	3	3.2
Cirrhosis of the Liver	3	-	1	1	1	1.2
External Causes	5	4	1	5	3	3.6
Motor Vehicle Accidents	1	-	-	-	-	0.2

al Deaths	113	77	84	96	102	94.4
Mean Age at Death	66.3	69.5	64.5	69.5	72.3	68.5
nfant Deaths	2	-	5	-	1	1.6
Number Age 65 and Over	70	60	48	68	78	64.8

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D.3 - 1970-1974: SELECTED HEALTH INDICIES: NATALITY

INDICIES	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	Five Year Average
LIVE BIRTHS	133	109	96	98	81	103.4
NEWBORNS WEIGHING BELOW 2500 GRAMS (5½ LBS.)	16	4	5	2	10	7.4
BIRTHS TO MOTHERS UNDER AGE 20	11	10	5	13	8	9.4
BIRTHS TO MOTHERS AGE 35 AND OVER	6	5	4	3	5	4.6
BIRTHS OF PARITY GREATER THAN 3	10	11	19	8	5	10.6

D.4 - 1977: ADMISSIONS AND RATE/THOUSAND TO PROVIDENCE MENTAL HEALTH CENTER

ADMISSIONS	RATE/THOUSAND	% OF NEIGHBORHOOD POPULATION
40	4.6	0.4

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E.1 - 1972-1973: FAMILY COURT HEARINGS OTHER THAN WAYWARD/DELINQUENT (MOTOR VEHICLE VIOLATIONS EXCLUDED

1.1

MALE CHILDREN	NO. OF CASES	% OF CITY CASES	NO. OF CASES	% OF CITY CASES
NEW	2	0.8	4	1.4
REPEATERS	4	1.2	1	0.4
VIOLATORS OF PROBATION	4	1.4	4	1.2

1.2

FEMALE CHILDREN				
NEW	-	-	3	3.2
REPEATERS	-	-	-	-
VIOLATORS OF PROBATION	-	-	3	12.5

1.3

TOTAL CHILDREN				
NEW	2	0.6	7	1.9
REPEATERS	4	1.1	1	0.3
VIOLATORS OF PROBATION	4	1.3	7	1.9

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E.2 - 1972, 1973: NON-JUDICIAL MOTOR VEHICLE VIOLATIONS ONLY

	1973		1972	
ALE HILDREN	# CASES	% CITY CASES	# CASES	% CITY CASES
EW	3	3.8	-	-
EPEATERS	-	-	-	-
IOLATORS OF ROBATION	-	-	-	-

	1973		1972	
EMALE HILDREN	# CASES	% CITY CASES	# CASES	% CITY CASES
EW	1	8.3	-	-
EPEATERS	-	-	-	-
IOLATORS OF ROBATION	-	-	-	-

	1973		1972	
OTAL HILDREN	# CASES	% CITY CASES	# CASES	% CITY CASES
EW	4	4.4	-	-
EPEATERS	-	-	-	-
IOLATORS OF ROBATION	-	-	-	-

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E.4 - 1972, 1973: NON-JUDICIAL - OTHER THAN WAYWARD/DELINQUENT (MOTOR VEHICLE VIOLATIONS EXCLUDED)

ALE HILDREN	1973 # CASES	1973 % CITY CASES	1972 # CASES	1972 % CITY CASES
EW	-	-	1	4.5
EPEATERS	-	-	-	-
IOLATORS OF ROBATION	-	-	-	-

EMALE HILDREN	1973 # CASES	1973 % CITY CASES	1972 # CASES	1972 % CITY CASES
EW	1	4.5	1	9.1
EPEATERS	-	-	-	-
IOLATORS OF ROBATION	-	-	-	-

OTAL HILDREN	1973 # CASES	1973 % CITY CASES	1972 # CASES	1972 % CITY CASES
EW	1	1.7	2	6.1
EPEATERS	-	-	-	-
IOLATORS OF ROBATION	-	-	-	-

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E.4 - 1972, 1973: HEARINGS - MOTOR VEHICLE VIOLATIONS ONLY

	1973		1972	
ALE HILDREN	# CASES	% CITY CASES	# CASES	% CITY CASES
EW	2	3.0	6	8.6
EPEATERS	3	5.0	1	1.9
IOLATORS OF ROBATION	-	-	1	2.7

	1973		1972	
EMALE HILDREN	# CASES	% CITY CASES	# CASES	% CITY CASES
EW	-	-	1	7.6
EPEATERS	-	-	-	-
IOLATORS OF ROBATION	-	-	-	-

	1973		1972	
OTAL HILDREN	# CASES	% CITY CASES	# CASES	% CITY CASES
EW	2	2.7	7	8.5
EPEATERS	3	4.8	1	1.8
IOLATORS OF ROBATION	-	-	1	2.6

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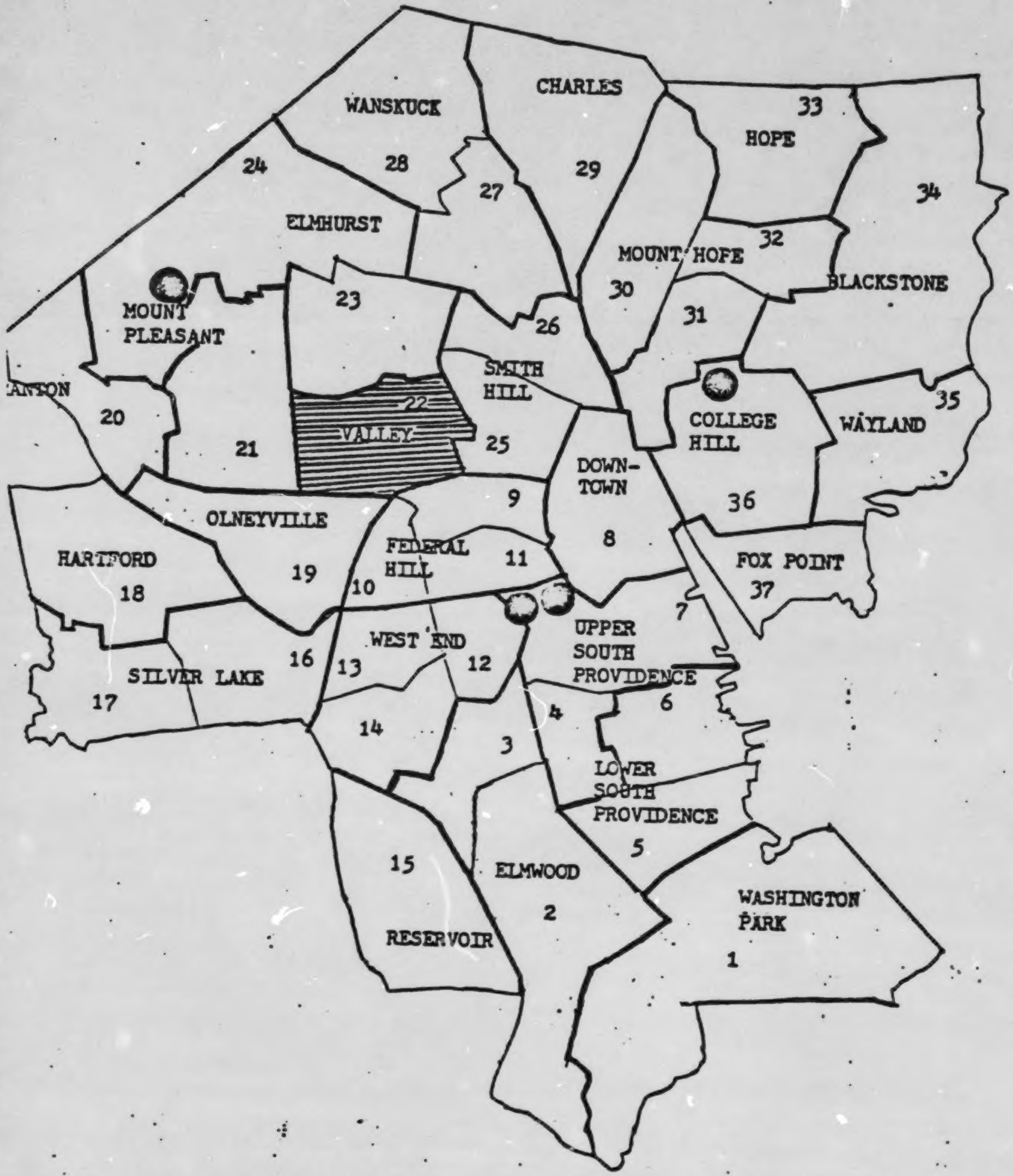
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NEIGHBORHOOD PROFILES

Overview

CPAD Urban Field Center, RICES, University of Rhode Island, provides planning assistance to community groups and city and state agencies in Rhode Island. In The fall of 1977, the Providence School Department contracted with the Center for planning and management for collaboration on the Neutral Site Planning Project, funded by an Emergency School Aid Act (ESAA) grant from the U. S. Office of Education.

The Emergency School Aid Act (ESAA) makes funds available to local education agencies who are involved in efforts to eliminate, reduce, or prevent minority group isolation. Specifically, neutral site planning grants are used to plan for schools that are located so as to be accessible to substantial numbers of students from different racial and ethnic backgrounds. The grants also are used to develop either special curriculum or teaching methodologies not generally offered to students of the same age or grade level in the local educational agency. For the calendar year 1977-78, neutral site planning grants were awarded to four public school systems in the United States by the Office of Education.

The fundamental concept in the location of a neutral school is the assumption that a school's site is one of the significant factors in its success. Location is defined in relation to the racial identity of the neighborhood and area in which the school is placed. Research and experience have demonstrated that schools in racially identifiable communities often have difficulty in enrolling students of the other racial identities. For minority student isolation to be reduced, eliminated or prevented, a school system must identify the location of minority and non-minority students in the district, and select a school site that is accessible to both groups.

This federal grant enabled the Providence School Department and the University of Rhode Island to develop a planning process to meet ESAA's mandate. In particular, the Neutral Site Planning Staff of the University of Rhode Island had responsibility for two objectives of this planning process:

- To conduct studies and surveys to determine the location of a Neutral Site School and;
- To provide technical planning assistance to the Providence School Department in the development of special curriculum options.

The major activities undertaken in order to meet the first objectives were:

- To inventory the present school sites and assess them through a series of significant criteria;
- To identify the location of potential students of the neutral site schools;
- To determine the accessibility of the school sites to the neighborhoods in which minority and non-minority students reside and;
- To describe the characteristics of Providence neighborhoods in which minority and non-minority students reside.

The information developed to meet the first three major activities are found in The Final Report: Volume I: The Neutral Site Plan. The supporting documentation for the fourth activity is the focus of this series of neighborhood profiles.

What are Neighborhood Profiles?

Neighborhood profiles are a series of tables and charts which include statistical information on twenty-four individual neighborhoods in Providence. The information includes demographic, economic, housing, and social service and crime data. Educational demographic characteristics and transportation access for potential neutral site magnet students are presented, although discussed in greater depth in Volume I. Specific indicators from each data category were selected on the basis of an assessment of the perceived needs for educational programming by Rhode Island planners, educators, and community groups; availability of secondary data sources; and experience with data collection and analysis activities in Rhode Island. The listing of indicators is extensive, and includes such data as population by race and Spanish language; median school years completed; employment status; density of residence within housing unit; distribution of land use; selected health indices; and crime data. Each series of tables and charts is introduced by a summary of key indicators and a map of the neighborhood.

There are twenty-four neighborhoods for which profiles have been prepared. The neighborhood designations are modifications of the Providence Department of Planning and Urban Development (PUD) boundaries. Where modifications occur, it is because the Neutral Site Planning Project staff collected secondary data by census tract and defined neighborhoods accordingly. Table One lists the neighborhoods included in this series.

The neighborhood profiles were developed in order to provide the educational community with an understanding of the student's environment "outside the classroom". It is only with planning from a neighborhood or city-wide perspective that responsive programs and schools can be

VALLEY

The Valley neighborhood, composed of census tract 22, is located in the central portion of the City of Providence. It is bordered on the north by Chalkstone Avenue, on the south by Atwells Avenue, and the old New York-New Haven tracks, on the west by Academy Avenue, and on the east by the Pleasant Valley Parkway.

It is not known if there was any settlement here in the seventeenth century, but by the beginning of the 18th century the area was used primarily for farming, with sparce settlement otherwise. It was not until early in the 1900's that Valley began to develop into the industrial-residential neighborhood that it is today. Water power afforded by the Woonasquatucket River was the primary attraction for the industry, and series of mill villages which grew up here. Today, Valley is still a working class industrial area.

In 1970, the population of Valley was 4440 with a racial and ethnic composition of 99.6% White, 0.2% Black and 0.2% Spanish speaking and other groups. Between the years of 1960-1970, there was a net decrease of 1058 whites (19.3%), and 2 (10.5%) of the non-white population. The total foreign stock population for Valley numbered 1729, with four most frequent countries of origin being Italy (46.3%), Ireland (14.6%), Canada (13.4%), and United Kingdom (9.7%). English is the predominantly spoken language.

Between the years 1960 and 1970 the median income for all families rose from $5,169.00 to $7,628.00, an increase of 32.2%. In 1970, the median income for all unrelated individuals was $2,662. In 1960, 1335 (94.9%) of the Valley male population fourteen years and older was employed in the civilian labor force as opposed to 943 (96.1%) of the female population. By 1970 the percentage of males sixteen years and older had increased to 1042 (96.4%), while a decrease to 883 (94.3%) was recorded for the female population. The unemployment rate for 1960 and 1970 was 4.7% and 4.5% respectively.

With an unemployment rate of 4.5% in Valley in 1970, 60 (4.8%) of the neighborhood's families were receiving public assistance as were 209 (37.1%) of all unrelated individuals. Between the years 1972 to 1977, the number of AFDC recipients changed from 101 to 111, both of which correspond to 1.9% of the number of cases for the City of Providence.

The general housing indicators for Valley has shown variation between 1960 and 1970. The number of owner occupied units was 505 in 1960 and 476 in 1970. During this same timespan, the number of renter occupied units changed from 1163 to 1102 with a vacancy rate increase from 4.5% to 6.6%. In 1970, the median value of occupied units was $13,000. and the median rent was $54.00. In 1975, the number of units in need of substantial rehabilitation in Valley totalled 945 (57.8%). Between 1960 and 1970, the total number of rented units decreased from 1136 to 1098 with a change in rents from $58.00 to $90.00. In 1970 the breakdown of the age of housing as a percentage of the number of housing units appeared as follows: none built between 1969 and 1970; 0.4% 1965 to 1968; 0.4% 1960 to 1964; 1.5% 1950 to 1959; 1.8% 1940 to 1949; and 96.1% constructed prior to 1939. Also in 1970 there were 788 households with one automobile, 273 with two and 39 with three or more. Four hundred eighty-eight households were listed as having none at all. The median years of education completed in 1970 by persons twenty-five years and older was 10.4 for the total population.

Currently there are 130 eighth through eleventh graders in Valley which is a part of the Mount Pleasant High School feeder pattern. Of these 130 students, there are 119 (91.5%) Whites 3 (2.3%) Blacks and 8 (6.1%) Portuguese and other. With an enrollment of 130, Valley ranks 19th in total high school student enrollment. At the present time, there are no bus routes directly from this neighborhood to any of the high schools in the city.

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A.1 - 1960, 1975: TOTAL POPULATION BY 5 YEAR INTERVALS

POPULATION	YEAR			
	1960	1965	1970	1975
NUMBER	5,500	5,026	4,440	3,526
% OF TOTAL POPULATION OF PROVIDENCE	2.7	2.8	2.5	2.1

A.2 - 1960, 1970: POPULATION BY WHITE AND NON-WHITE

POPULATION	YEAR	
	1960	1970
WHITE	5,481	4,423
NON-WHITE	19	17

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A.3 - 1960, 1970 CENSUS: POPULATION BY RACE AND SPANISH LANGUAGE

YEAR	TOTAL POPULATION	WHITE #	WHITE %	NON-WHITE #	NON-WHITE %	BLACK #	BLACK %	SPANISH LANGUAGE #	SPANISH LANGUAGE %
1960	5500	5481	99.6	19	0.4	11	0.2	N/A	N/A
1970	4440	4423	99.6	17	0.4	10	0.2	N/A	N/A
1960-1970 Increase (+) Decrease (-)		-1058	-19.3	-2	-10.5	-1	-9.1	N/A	N/A
% Change in Proportional Distribution		-		-		-		N/A	

A.4 - 1970 CENSUS: FERTILITY RATIO BY POPULATION

Total Population	102.9

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A.5 - 1970 CENSUS: PERSONS 25 YEARS OF AGE AND OVER BY RACE AND YEARS OF SCHOOL COMPLETED

LEVEL AND YEARS OF SCHOOL COMPLETED	TOTAL POPULATION		WHITE		BLACK		OTHER	
	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%
NO SCHOOL YEAR COMPLETED	79	2.9	74	2.7	-	-	5	29.4
ELEMENTARY: 1-4 YEARS	57	2.1	57	2.1	-	-	-	-
5-7 YEARS	398	14.7	392	14.5	-	-	6	35.3
8 YEARS	418	15.4	418	15.4	-	-	-	-
HIGH SCHOOL: 1-3 YEARS	866	31.9	860	31.9	-	-	6	35.3
4 YEARS	718	26.4	718	26.7	-	-	-	-
COLLEGE: 1-3 YEARS	71	2.6	71	2.6	-	-	-	-
4 YEARS OR MORE	108	4.0	108	4.0	-	-	-	-
TOTAL	2715	100.0	2698	100.0	-	-	17	100.0

A.6 - 1970 CENSUS: MEDIAN SCHOOL YEARS COMPLETED

TOTAL POPULATION
10.4

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A.7 - 1970 CENSUS: NATIVITY AND PARENTAGE		
NATIVITY	TOTAL POPULATION	
	#	%
NATIVE OF NATIVE PARENT	2711	61.0
FOREIGN STOCK	1729	39.0
TOTAL	4440	100.0

A.8 - 1970 CENSUS: MOST FREQUENT COUNTRY OF ORIGIN OF FOREIGN STOCK		
COUNTRY OF ORIGIN	# OF PERSONS	% FOREIGN STOCK POPULATION
ITALY	801	46.3
IRELAND	252	14.6
CANADA	232	13.4
UNITED KINGDOM	169	9.7

A.9 - 1970 CENSUS: SPANISH POPULATION INDICATORS		
INDICATORS	# OF PERSONS	% OF TOTAL POPULATION
SPANISH LANGUAGE	N/A	N/A

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B.1 - 1970 CENSUS: NUMBER OF EMPLOYED PERSONS 16 YEARS OLD AND OVER BY OCCUPATION

OCCUPATION	1960[1]		1970							
	TOTAL PERSONS EMPLOYED		TOTAL PERSONS EMPLOYED		WHITE		BLACK		SPANISH	
	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%
Professional, Technical and Kindred Workers	182	9.0	153	7.9	153	8.0	-	-	-	-
Managers and Administrators Except Farm	117	5.8	52	2.7	52	2.7	-	-	-	-
Sales Workers	87	4.3	84	4.3	84	4.4	-	-	-	-
Clerical and Kindred Workers	402	19.9	369	19.1	369	19.2	-	-	-	-
Craftsmen, Foremen and Kindred Workers	244	12.1	360	18.7	360	18.8	-	-	-	-
Operatives, Except Transport	619	30.7	437	22.7	432	22.5	-	-	-	-
Transport Equipment Operatives	4	2.0	87	4.5	87	4.5	-	-	-	-
Laborers, Except Farm	87	4.3	85	4.4	85	4.4	-	-	-	-
Farmers and Farm Managers	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Farm Laborers and Foremen										
Service Workers, Except Private Household	246	12.2	291	15.1	291	15.2	-	-	-	-
Private Household Workers	27	1.3	7	0.3	7	0.4	-	-	-	-
TOTAL	2015	100.0	1925	100.0	1920		-	-	-	-

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[1] 1960 data listed for persons 14 years old and over.

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B.2 - 1960 CENSUS: EMPLOYMENT STATUS, MALES 14 YEARS AND OVER (CIVILIAN LABOR FORCE)

STATUS	TOTAL	
	#	%
EMPLOYED	1335	94.9
UNEMPLOYED	71	5.1

B.3 - 1960 CENSUS: EMPLOYMENT STATUS, FEMALES 14 YEARS AND OVER (CIVILIAN LABOR FORCE)

STATUS	TOTAL	
	#	%
EMPLOYED	943	96.1
UNEMPLOYED	38	3.9

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B.4 - 1970 CENSUS: EMPLOYMENT STATUS BY RACE OF MALES 16 YEARS AND OVER (CIVILIAN LABOR FORCE)

STATUS	POPULATION		WHITE		BLACK	
	#	%	#	%	#	%
EMPLOYED	1042	96.5	1037	96.6	-	-
UNEMPLOYED	37	3.5	37	3.4	-	-
TOTAL	1079	100.0	1074	100.0	-	-

B.5 - 1970 CENSUS: EMPLOYMENT STATUS BY RACE OF FEMALES 16 YEARS AND OVER (CIVILIAN LABOR FORCE)

STATUS	POPULATION		WHITE		BLACK	
	#	%	#	%	#	%
EMPLOYED	883	94.3	883	94.3	-	-
UNEMPLOYED	53	5.7	53	5.7	-	-
TOTAL	936	100.0	936	100.0	-	-

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B.6 - 1960, 1970 CENSUS: MEDIAN INCOME

6.1 1960 MEDIAN INCOME [1]

YEAR	ALL FAMILIES AND UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS
1960	$ 4492

6.2 1970 MEDIAN INCOME

YEAR	ALL FAMILIES	ALL UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS
1970	$7,628	$2,662

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1) 1960 Median Income Data is not disaggregated by families and unrelated individuals.

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B.7 - 1970 CENSUS: PERSONS BELOW POVERTY LEVEL

TOTAL POPULATION		
# PERSONS	% OF NEIGHBORHOOD POPULATION	% OF TOTAL POPULATION OF PROVIDENCE BELOW POVERTY LEVEL
748	16.8	2.3

B.8 - 1970 CENSUS: NUMBER OF RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 IN FAMILIES BELOW POVERTY LEVEL BY RACE

TOTAL POPULATION			WHITE		BLACK		OTHER	
# PERSONS	% OF NEIGHBORHOOD POPULATION BELOW 18 YEARS	% OF RELATED CHILDREN IN PROVIDENCE UNDER 18 YEARS, BELOW POVERTY LEVEL	#	%	#	%	#	%
193	16.1	1.7	193	100.0	-	-	-	-

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B.9 - 1972-1977: DECEMBER AFDC CASES

YEAR	NUMBER OF CASES	% OF CASES IN PROVIDENCE
1972	101	1.9
1973	108	2.0
1974	106	1.9
1975	113	2.0
1976	110	1.9
1977	111	1.9

B. 10 - 1970 CENSUS: FAMILIES RECEIVING PUBLIC ASSISTANCE

# FAMILIES RECEIVING PUBLIC ASSISTANCE	% OF ALL FAMILIES IN NEIGHBORHOOD	% OF FAMILIES IN PROVIDENCE RECEIVING PUBLIC ASSISTANCE
60	2.8	4.83

B.11 - 1970 CENSUS: UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS RECEIVING PUBLIC ASSISTANCE

# PERSONS	% OF UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS IN NEIGHBORHOOD	% OF TOTAL UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS RECEIVING PUBLIC ASSISTANCE IN PROVIDENCE
209	37.1	1.1

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C.1 - 1975: TOTAL HOUSING, VACANCY RATE, AND UNITS IN NEED OF SUBSTANTIAL REHABILITATION

Characteristics	Number
Total Housing Units	1636
Vacancy Rate	1.7%
% of Units in Need of Substantial Rehabilitation *	57.8

* The need for "substantial rehabilitation" was determined by the Department of Planning and Urban Development based on a survey which considered structural factors including: Foundation, Exterior Shell, Porches and Stairs, Gutters and Down Spouts, Doors and Windows, Roof and Chimney.

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C.2 - 1970 CENSUS: UNITS IN STRUCTURE AS A PERCENTAGE OF NEIGHBORHOOD'S HOUSING STRUCTURES

	1970	
NUMBER OF UNITS IN STRUCTURE	#	%
1 (INCLUDES MOBILE HOME/ TRAILER)	168	9.9
2	374	22.1
3 AND 4	1,056	62.5
5 TO 49	91	5.4
50 AND OVER	0	.0
TOTAL YEAR-ROUND HOUSING UNITS	1,689	100.0

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C.3 - 1970 CENSUS: AGE OF NEIGHBORHOOD HOUSING AS A PERCENTAGE OF TOTAL NEIGHBORHOOD HOUSING UNITS

AGE OF HOUSING	#	%
1969 TO MARCH 1970	-	-
1965 TO 1968	5	0.4
1960 TO 1964	6	0.4
1950 TO 1959	25	1.5
1940 TO 1949	30	1.8
1939 AND EARLIER		96.1
TOTAL	1,689	100.0

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C.4 - 1960, 1970 CENSUS: HOUSING UNITS BY OWNER AND RENTER

	1960	1970	Net Change 1960-1970
Total Housing Units	1749	1689	- 60
Owner Occupied	505	476	- 29
Renter Occupied	1163	1102	- 61
Vacancy Rate	4.5%	6.6%	+ 46.7%

C.5 - 1970 CENSUS: MEDIAN VALUE OR RENT OF OCCUPIED UNITS

STATUS	1970
Median Value	$13,000
Median Rent	$54

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C.6 - 1960, 1970 CENSUS: RENTER-OCCUPIED AS A PERCENTAGE OF NEIGHBORHOOD'S RENTED UNITS

	1960		1970	
	#	%	#	%
Total - Rented Units	1136	100.0	1098	100.0
Less Than $40	4	0.4	5	0.4
$40 to $59	90	7.9	66	6.0
$60 to $79	520	45.8	284	25.9
$80 to $99	390	34.3	356	32.4
$100 to $149	110	9.7	331	30.1
$150 and Over	22	1.9	20	1.8
No Cash Rents	-	-	36	3.3
Median Rent	$58	-	$90	-

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C. 7 - 1970 CENSUS: VALUE OF OWNER OCCUPIED HOUSING BY HEAD OF HOUSEHOLD

SINGLE FAMILY	TOTAL OWNER OCCUPIED UNITS #	TOTAL OWNER OCCUPIED UNITS %
Less Than $5,000	2	1.6
$5,000 - $7,499	9	7.0
$7,500 - $9,999	16	12.6
$10,000 - $14,999	60	47.2
$15,000 - $19,999	29	22.8
$20,000 - $24,999	7	5.5
$25,000 - $34,999	4	3.1
$35,000 - $49,999	0	.0
$50,000 and over	0	.0
TOTAL	127	100.0

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C.8 - 1960, 1970 CENSUS: DENSITY OF RESIDENCE WITHIN HOUSING UNIT

	1960		1970	
	#	%	#	%
TOTAL NUMBER OF OCCUPIED UNITS	1668	100.0	1578	100.0
ROOMS WITH 1.00 PERSONS OR LESS	1534	92.0	1495	94.7
ROOMS WITH 1.01 PERSONS OR MORE	134	8.0	83	5.3
MEDIAN PERSONS PER OCCUPIED UNIT	2.8	-	2.3	-

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C. 9 - 1970 CENSUS: NUMBER OF AUTOMOBILES AVAILABLE BY HOUSEHOLD

Automobiles	# Households
One	778
Two	273
Three or More	39
None	488

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C. 10 1975 DISTRIBUTION OF LAND USE BY NEIGHBORHOOD

LAND USE CATEGORY	LAND AREA IN SQ. FT.	% OF TOTAL AREA
Undeveloped Land and Water Areas	544,037	5.9
Residential Uses (Total)	3,108,765	33.6
One Family	578,553	6.2
Two Family	810,002	8.8
Three Family	1,202,869	13.0
Multi-Family	275,122	3.0
Other	242,219	2.6
Manufacturing	2,593,740	28.0
Transportation, Communication and Utilities	757,109	8.2
Trade (Total)	596,668	6.5
Wholesale	242,781	2.6
Retail	353,887	3.8
General Services	510,557	5.5
Institutional and Governmental Services (Total)	1,013,216	10.9
Education (Nursery, Primary and Secondary)	75,260	.8
Educational Services (other)	3,489	.1
Religious Services	47,597	.5
Medical and Health Services	876,458	9.5
Government	--	--
Other (Service Organizations, Cemeteries, etc.)	10,412	
Cultural, Entertainment, and Recreation Services	125,913	1.4
Resource Production and Extraction	--	--
Totals	9,250,005	100.0

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D. 1 - 1966-1974: NET EFFECT OF RESIDENT BIRHTS AND DEATHS

YEAR	BIRTHS	% OF CITY BIRTHS	DEATHS	% OF CITY DEATHS	NET EFFECT
1966	97	3.0	54	2.0	+43
1967	89	2.8	58	2.2	+31
1968	98	3.1	62	2.3	+36
1969	84	2.7	59	2.4	+25
1970	89	2.8	58	2.4	+31
1971	81	2.8	55	2.3	+26
1972	59	2.4	71	3.1	-12
1973	62	2.6	57	2.4	+5
1974	62	2.9	46	2.2	+16
TOTALS	721	-	520	-	+201
5 YR. AVERAGE 1970-74	72.6	7.9	57.4	2.5	+15.2

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D.2 - 1970-1974: SELECTED HEALTH INDICES: MORTALITY

	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	5 YEAR AVERAGE
ths by Cause						
alignant Neoplasms	7	15	18	9	14	12.6
Lung	1	-	6	3	3	2.6
Breast	-	3	2	1	1	1.4
Cervix	-	2	-	1	-	0.6
Colon & Rectum	1	5	3	-	1	2.0
iabetes Mellitus	1	1	3	-	-	1.0
adiovascular Disease	39	28	32	36	25	32.0
Heart Disease (All Forms)	35	21	25	30	20	26.2
Myocardial Infarction	18	8	12	16	10	12.8
Chronic Ischemic Heart Dis.	8	9	10	12	8	9.4
Cerebrovascular Disease	3	4	3	3	3	3.2
espiratory Disease	1	1	8	3	1	2.8
Pneumonia/Influenza	-	-	7	2	-	1.8
Emphysema	-	1	1	-	-	0.4
astrointestinal Disease	4	1	3	4	3	3.0
Cirrhosis of the Liver	1	1	1	2	-	1.0
xternal Causes	2	4	3	1	2	2.4
Motor Vehicle Accidents	2	3	-	1	1	1.4

al Deaths	58	55	71	57	46	57.4
ean Age at Death	68.3	64.2	72.8	69.6	59.7	69.1
nfant Deaths	1	2	-	-	-	0.6
mber Age 65 and Over	42	30	55	39	34	40.0

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D.3 - 1970-1974: SELECTED HEALTH INDICIES: NATALITY

INDICIES	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	Five Year Average
LIVE BIRTHS	89	81	69	62	62	72.6
NEWBORNS WEIGHING BELOW 2500 GRAMS (5½ LBS.)	10	12	3	4	3	6.4
BIRTHS TO MOTHERS UNDER AGE 20	12	15	17	15	9	13.6
BIRTHS TO MOTHERS AGE 35 AND OVER	4	3	2	1	-	2.0
BIRTHS OF PARITY GREATER THAN 3	14	7	5	2	5	6.6

D.4 - 1977: ADMISSIONS AND RATE/THOUSAND TO PROVIDENCE MENTAL HEALTH CENTER

ADMISSIONS	RATE/THOUSAND	% OF NEIGHBORHOOD POPULATION
26	5.9	0.6

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E.1 - 1972, 1973: FAMILY COURT HEARINGS OTHER THAN WAYWARD/DELINQUENT (MOTOR VEHICLE VIOLATIONS EXCLUDED), MALE AND FEMALE CHILDREN

	1973		1972	
MALE CHILDREN	# CASES	% CITY CASES	# CASES	% CITY CASES
NEW	8	3.3	3	1.1
REPEATERS	4	1.2	6	2.2
VIOLATORS OF PROBATION	12	4.3	9	2.6

	1973		1972	
FEMALE CHILDREN	# CASES	% CITY CASES	# CASES	% CITY CASES
NEW	-	-	1	1.1
REPEATERS	1	2.1	1	2.3
VIOLATORS OF PROBATION	2	5.5	-	-

	1973		1972	
TOTAL CHILDREN	# CASES	% CITY CASES	# CASES	% CITY CASES
NEW	8	2.5	4	1.1
REPEATERS	5	1.4	7	2.2
VIOLATORS OF PROBATION	14	4.5	9	2.4

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E.2 - 1972, 1973: NON-JUDICIAL MOTOR VEHICLE VIOLATIONS ONLY

ALE HILDREN	1973 # CASES	1973 % CITY CASES	1972 # CASES	1972 % CITY CASES
EW	3	3.8	1	1.2
EPEATERS	-	-	1	14.2
IOLATORS OF ROBATION	-	-	-	-

EMALE HILDREN	1973 # CASES	1973 % CITY CASES	1972 # CASES	1972 % CITY CASES
EW	1	8.3	2	18.1
EPEATERS	1	100.0	-	-
IOLATORS OF ROBATION	-	-	-	-

OTAL HILDREN	1973 # CASES	1973 % CITY CASES	1972 # CASES	1972 % CITY CASES
EW	4	4.4	3	3.2
EPEATERS	1	6.2	1	12.5
IOLATORS OF ROBATION	-	-	-	-

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E.3 - 1972, 1973: NON-JUDICIAL - OTHER THAN WAYWARD/DELINQUENT (MOTOR VEHICLES VIOLATIONS EXCLUDED)

ALE HILDREN	1973		1972	
	# CASES	% CITY CASES	# CASES	% CITY CASES
EW	1	2.7	1	4.5
EPEATERS	-	-	-	-
IOLATORS OF ROBATION	-	-	-	-

EMALE HILDREN	1973		1972	
	# CASES	% CITY CASES	# CASES	% CITY CASES
EW	-	-	-	-
EPEATERS	-	-	-	-
IOLATORS OF ROBATION	-	-	-	-

OTAL HILDREN	1973		1972	
	# CASES	% CITY CASES	# CASES	% CITY CASES
EW	1	1.7	1	3.0
EPEATERS	-	-	-	-
IOLATORS OF ROBATION	-	-	-	-

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E.4 - 1972, 1973: HEARINGS - MOTOR VEHICLE VIOLATIONS ONLY

	1973		1972	
ALE CHILDREN	# CASES	% CITY CASES	# CASES	% CITY CASES
EW	3	4.6	1	1.4
EPEATERS	2	3.3	3	5.8
IOLATORS OF ROBATION	4	11.4	2	5.5

	1973		1972	
EMALE CHILDREN	# CASES	% CITY CASES	# CASES	% CITY CASES
EW	-	-	-	-
EPEATERS	-	-	-	-
IOLATORS OF ROBATION	-	-	-	-

	1973		1972	
OTAL CHILDREN	# CASES	% CITY CASES	# CASES	% CITY CASES
EW	3	4.1	1	1.2
EPEATERS	2	3.2	3	5.6
IOLATORS OF ROBATION	4	11.4	2	5.1

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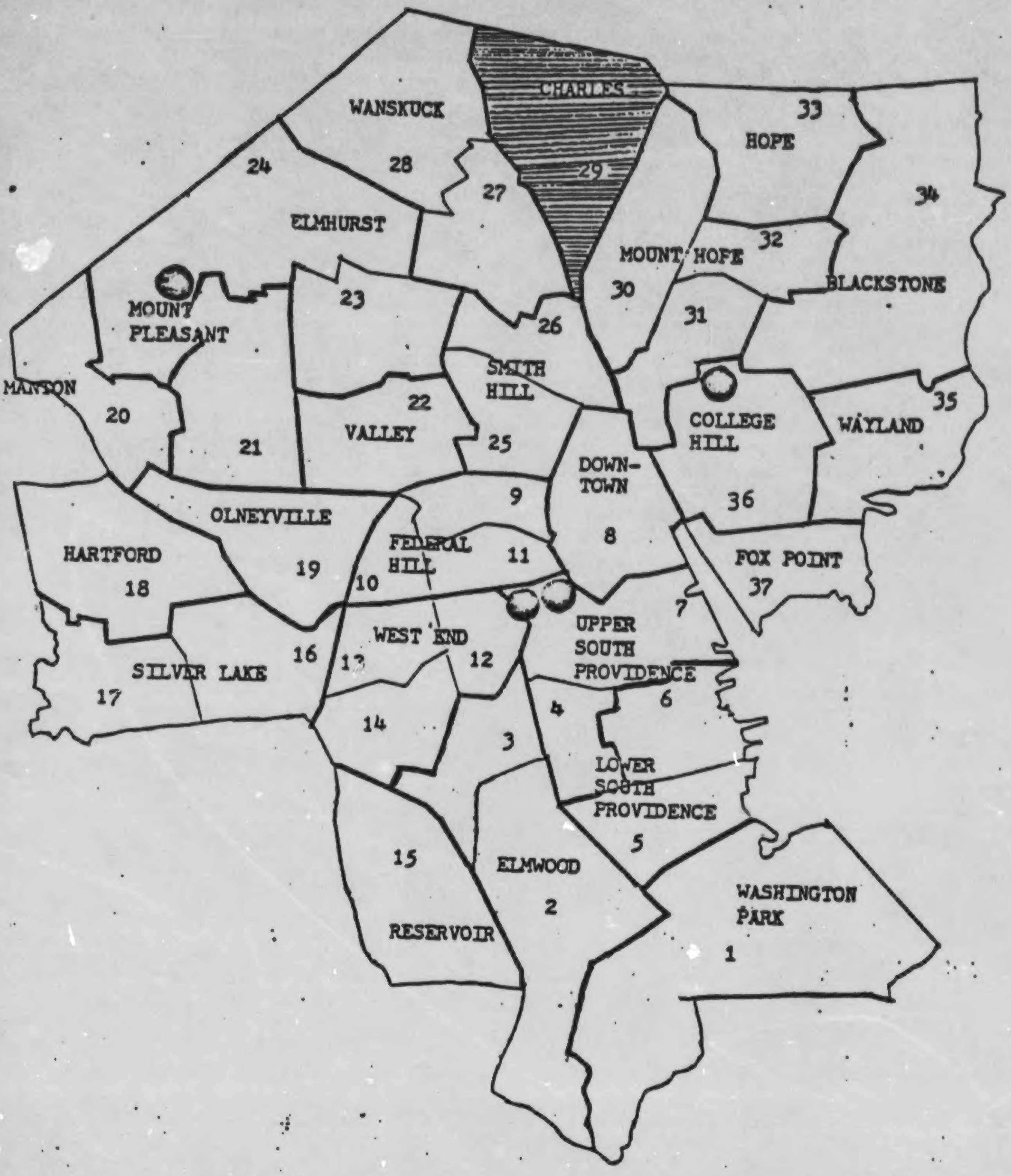
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The Charles neighborhood, composed of census tract 29, is located in the northern area of the City of Providence. It is bounded on the north by North Providence, on the south by Charles Street, on the east by the Amtrack Railroad tracks and on the west by Route 146.

The focal point of this neighborhood is the intersection of Charles Street and Branch Avenue. This is the major commercial center of the area, with development established in a village-square type setting. Limited industry is situated in the extreme southern portion of the neighborhood near the West River.

Most of the construction in Charles dates from the twentieth century when this sparsely settled area became part of Providence. Even today this suburban-residential area retains a great deal of open space, with over 20% of the land and water area undeveloped.

In 1970, the population of Charles was 6548 with a racial and ethnic composition of 99.7% White, 0.1% Black and 0.2% Spanish speaking. Between the years of 1960-1970, there was a net decrease of 225 whites (3.3%) coupled with an increase of 3 (150.0%) non-whites. In 1970, the total foreign stock population for Charles numbered 3378. The four most frequent countries of origin were Italy (84.6%), Canada (3.1%), United Kingdom (2.8%), and Poland (1.2%). English is the predominantly spoken language.

Between the years 1960 and 1970 the median income for all families rose from $5,126 to $8,985, an increase of 75.3%. The median income for all unrelated individuals was $2,628. In 1960, 1729 (92.2%) of Charles male population fourteen years and older was employed in the civilian labor force as opposed to 1062 (94.0%) of the female population. By 1970 the percentage of males sixteen years and older had increased to 1775 (94.5%), and 1325 (14.1%) was recorded for the female population. The unemployment rates for 1960 and 1970 were 5.3% and 5.6% respectively.

With an unemployment rate of 5.6% in Charles in 1970, 63 (3.0%) of the neighborhood's families were receiving public assistance as were 423 (39.4%) of all unrelated individuals. Between the years 1972 and 1977, the number of AFDC recipients changed from 115 to 129, both of which correspond to 2.1 % of the number of cases for the City of Providence.

The general housing indicators for Charles have shown variation between 1960 and 1970. The number of owner occupied units was 1183 in 1960 and 1359 in 1970. During this same timespan, the number of renter occupied units changed from 115 to 1093 with a vacancy rate decrease from 4.8% to 3.9%. In 1970, the median value of occupied units was $16,600 and the median rent $50.00. In 1975, the number of units in need of substantial rehabilitation in Charles totalled 1430 (56.9%) Between

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A.7 - 1970 CENSUS: NATIVITY AND PARENTAGE

NATIVITY	TOTAL POPULATION	
	#	%
NATIVE OF NATIVE PARENT	3170	48.4
FOREIGN STOCK	3378	51.6
TOTAL	6548	100.0

A.8 - 1970 CENSUS: MOST FREQUENT COUNTRY OF ORIGIN OF FOREIGN STOCK

COUNTRY OF ORIGIN	# OF PERSONS	% FOREIGN STOCK POPULATION
ITALY	2859	84.6
CANADA	105	3.1
UNITED KINGDOM	94	2.8
POLAND	40	1.2

A.9 - 1970 CENSUS: SPANISH POPULATION INDICATORS

INDICATORS	# OF PERSONS	% OF TOTAL POPULATION
SPANISH LANGUAGE	17	0.2

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A.1 - 1960, 1975: TOTAL POPULATION BY 5 YEAR INTERVALS				
POPULATION	YEAR			
	1960	1965	1970	1975
NUMBER	6,770	N/A	6,548	6,507
% OF TOTAL POPULATION OF PROVIDENCE	3.4	N/A	3.7	3.9

A.2 - 1960, 1970: POPULATION BY WHITE AND NON-WHITE		
POPULATION	YEAR	
	1960	1970
WHITE	6,729	6,449
NON-WHITE	41	99

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A.3 - 1960, 1970 CENSUS: POPULATION BY RACE AND SPANISH LANGUAGE										
YEAR	TOTAL POPULATION	WHITE		NON-WHITE		BLACK		SPANISH LANGUAGE	
		#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%
1960	6770	6768	99.97	2	0.03	-	-	N/A	N/A
1970	6548	6543	99.92	5	0.08	4	0.06	17	0.3
1960-1970 Increase (+) Decrease (-)		-225	-3.3	+3	+150.0	+4	-	N/A	N/A
% Change in Proportional Distribution		-0.05		+0.05		+0.06		N/A	

A.4 - 1970 CENSUS: FERTILITY RATIO BY POPULATION	
Total Population	63.7

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A.5 - 1970 CENSUS: PERSONS 25 YEARS OF AGE AND OVER BY RACE AND YEARS OF SCHOOL COMPLETED

LEVEL AND YEARS OF SCHOOL COMPLETED	TOTAL POPULATION		WHITE		BLACK		OTHER	
	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%
NO SCHOOL YEAR COMPLETED	243	5.9	243	5.9	-	-	-	-
ELEMENTARY: 1-4 YEARS	235	5.7	235	5.7	-	-	-	-
5-7 YEARS	525	12.7	525	12.8	-	-	-	-
8 YEARS	686	16.6	686	16.7	-	-	-	-
HIGH SCHOOL: 1-3 YEARS	1314	31.8	1309	31.8	-	-	5	100.0
4 YEARS	902	21.9	902	21.9	-	-	-	-
COLLEGE: 1-3 YEARS	96	2.3	96	2.3	-	-	-	-
4 YEARS OR MORE	121	2.9	121	2.9	-	-	-	-
TOTAL	4122	99.9	4117	100.0	-	-	5	100.0

A.6 - 1970 CENSUS: MEDIAN SCHOOL YEARS COMPLETED

TOTAL POPULATION
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C.2 - 1970 CENSUS: UNITS IN STRUCTURE AS A PERCENTAGE OF NEIGHBORHOOD'S HOUSING STRUCTURES		
	1970	
NUMBER OF UNITS IN STRUCTURE	#	%
1 (INCLUDES MOBILE HOME/ TRAILER)	680	29.0
2	806	34.4
3 AND 4	549	23.4
5 TO 49	307	13.1
50 AND OVER	0	.0
TOTAL YEAR-ROUND HOUSING UNITS	2,342	100.0

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C.3 - 1970 CENSUS: AGE OF NEIGHBORHOOD HOUSING AS A PERCENTAGE OF TOTAL NEIGHBORHOOD HOUSING UNITS

AGE OF HOUSING	#	%
1969 TO MARCH 1970	29	1.2
1965 TO 1968	81	3.5
1960 TO 1964	69	2.95
1950 TO 1959	201	8.6
1940 TO 1949	143	6.1
1939 AND EARLIER	1,819	77.7
TOTAL	2,342	100.0

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C. 4 - 1960, 1970 CENSUS: HOUSING UNITS BY OWNER AND RENTER

	1960	1970	Net Change 1960-1970
Total Housing Units	2169	2342	+ 173
Owner Occupied	949	1157	+ 208
Renter Occupied	1115	1093	- 22
Vacancy Rate	4.8%	3.9%	- 18.8

C.5 - 1970 CENSUS: MEDIAN VALUE OR RENT OF OCCUPIED UNITS

STATUS	1970
Median Value	$16,600
Median Rent	$50

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C.6 - 1960, 1970 CENSUS: RENTER-OCCUPIED AS A PERCENTAGE OF NEIGHBORHOOD'S RENTED UNITS

	1960		1970	
	#	%	#	%
Total - Rented Units	1043	100.0	1093	100.0
Less Than $40	-	-	8	0.7
$40 to $59	146	14.0	164	15.0
$60 to $79	547	52.4	366	33.4
$80 to $99	276	26.5	293	26.8
$100 to $149	66	6.3	183	16.7
$150 and Over	8	0.8	12	1.1
No Cash Rents	-	-	67	6.1
Median Rent	$54	-	$79	-

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C. 7 - 1970 CENSUS: VALUE OF OWNER OCCUPIED HOUSING BY HEAD OF HOUSEHOLD

SINGLE FAMILY	TOTAL OWNER OCCUPIED UNITS #	%
Less Than $5,000	3	.5
$5,000 - $7,499	22	3.3
$7,500 - $9,999	47	7.1
$10,000 - $14,999	177	26.6
$15,000 - $19,999	243	36.5
$20,000 - $24,999	104	15.6
$25,000 - $34,999	51	7.7
$35,000 - $49,999	14	2.1
$50,000 and over	4	.6
TOTAL	665	100.0

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C.8 - 1960, 1970 CENSUS: DENSITY OF RESIDENCE WITHIN HOUSING UNIT

	1960		1970	
	#	%	#	%
TOTAL NUMBER OF OCCUPIED UNITS	2064	100.0	2250	100.0
ROOMS WITH 1.00 PERSONS OR LESS	1875	90.8	2104	93.5
ROOMS WITH 1.01 PERSONS OR MORE	189	9.2	146	6.5
MEDIAN PERSONS PER OCCUPIED UNIT	3.1	-	2.6	-

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C. 9 - 1970 CENSUS:	NUMBER OF AUTOMOBILES AVAILABLE BY HOUSEHOLD
Automobiles	# Households
One	1234
Two	482
Three or More	55
None	479

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C. 10 DISTRIBUTION OF LAND USE BY NEIGHBORHOOD

LAND USE CATEGORY	LAND AREA IN SQ. FT.	% OF TOTAL AREA
Undeveloped Land and Water Areas	3,972,877	22.0
Residential Uses (Total)	8,508,870	47.1
One Family	4,016,643	22.3
Two Family	1,815,888	10.1
Three Family	502,832	2.8
Multi-Family	658,987	3.6
Other	1,514,520	8.3
Manufacturing	627,658	3.5
Transportation, Communication and Utilities	2,241,210	12.4
Trade (Total)	1,090,392	6.0
Wholesale	225,957	1.2
Retail	864,435	4.8
General Services	392,577	2.2
Institutional and Governmental Services (Total)	494,669	2.7
Education (Nursery, Primary and Secondary)	346,958	1.9
Educational Services (other)	--	--
Religious Services	62,660	0.3
Medical and Health Services	--	--
Government	--	--
Other (Service Organizations, Cemeteries, etc.)	85,051	0.5
Cultural, Entertainment, and Recreation Services	699,965	3.9
Resource Production and Extraction	23,950	0.1
Totals	18,052,168	100.0

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B.1 - 1970 CENSUS: NUMBER OF EMPLOYED PERSONS 16 YEARS OLD AND OVER BY OCCUPATION

OCCUPATION	1960[1] TOTAL PERSONS EMPLOYED		1970 TOTAL PERSONS EMPLOYED		WHITE		BLACK		SPANISH	
	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%
Professional, Technical and Kindred Workers	126	5.0	196	6.3	196	6.3	-	-	-	-
Managers and Administrators Except Farm	113	4.5	128	4.1	128	4.1	-	-	-	-
Sales Workers	116	4.6	161	5.2	161	5.2	-	-	-	-
Clerical and Kindred Workers	333	13.2	606	19.7	606	19.7	-	-	-	-
Craftsmen, Foremen and Kindred Workers	475	18.8	575	18.6	575	18.6	-	-	-	-
Operatives, Except Transport	888	35.1	814	26.4	814	26.4	-	-	-	-
Transport Equipment Operatives	4	0.1	77	2.5	77	2.5	-	-	-	-
Laborers, Except Farm	203	8.0	136	4.4	136	4.4	-	-	-	-
Farmers and Farm Managers Farm Laborers and Foremen	-	-	5	0.1	5	0.1	-	-	-	-
Service Workers, Except Private Household	268	10.6	377	12.2	377	12.2	-	-	-	-
Private Household Workers	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
TOTAL	2526	100.0	3075	100.0	3075		-	-	-	-

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[1] 1960 data listed for persons 14 years old and over.

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B.2 - 1960 CENSUS: EMPLOYMENT STATUS, MALES 14 YEARS AND OVER (CIVILIAN LABOR FORCE)

STATUS	TOTAL	
	#	%
EMPLOYED	1729	92.2
UNEMPLOYED	98	7.8

B.3 - 1960 CENSUS: EMPLOYMENT STATUS, FEMALES 14 YEARS AND OVER (CIVILIAN LABOR FORCE)

STATUS	TOTAL	
	#	%
EMPLOYED	1062	94.8
UNEMPLOYED	58	5.2

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B.4 - 1970 CENSUS: EMPLOYMENT STATUS BY RACE OF MALES 16 YEARS AND OVER (CIVILIAN LABOR FORCE)

STATUS	POPULATION		WHITE		BLACK	
	#	%	#	%	#	%
EMPLOYED	1750	94.5	1750	94.5	0	0
UNEMPLOYED	100	5.5	100	5.5	0	0
TOTAL	1850	100.0	1850	100.0	0	0

B.5 - 1970 CENSUS: EMPLOYMENT STATUS BY RACE OF FEMALES 16 YEARS AND OVER (CIVILIAN LABOR FORCE)

STATUS	POPULATION		WHITE		BLACK	
	#	%	#	%	#	%
EMPLOYED	1325	94.1	1325	94.1	0	0
UNEMPLOYED	83	5.9	83	5.9	0	0
TOTAL	1408	100.0	1408	100.0	0	0

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B.6 - 1960, 1970 CENSUS: MEDIAN INCOME

6.1 1960 MEDIAN INCOME [1]

YEAR	ALL FAMILIES AND UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS
1960	$4795

6.2 1970 MEDIAN INCOME

YEAR	ALL FAMILIES	ALL UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS
1970	$8,985	$2,628

1) 1960 Median Income Data is not disaggregated by families and unrelated individuals.

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B.7 - 1970 CENSUS: PERSONS BELOW POVERTY LEVEL		
TOTAL POPULATION		
# PERSONS	% OF NEIGHBORHOOD POPULATION	% OF TOTAL POPULATION OF PROVIDENCE BELOW POVERTY LEVEL
542	8.3	1.7

B.8 - 1970 CENSUS: NUMBER OF RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 IN FAMILIES BELOW POVERTY LEVEL BY RACE								
TOTAL POPULATION			WHITE		BLACK		OTHER	
# PERSONS	% OF NEIGHBORHOOD POPULATION BELOW 18 YEARS	% OF RELATED CHILDREN IN PROVIDENCE UNDER 18 YEARS, BELOW POVERTY LEVEL	#	%	#	%	#	%
113	6.6	1.0	113	100.0	-	-	-	-

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B.9 - 1972-1977: DECEMBER AFDC CASES

YEAR	NUMBER OF CASES	% OF CASES IN PROVIDENCE
1972	115	2.1
1973	114	2.1
1974	118	2.1
1975	126	2.2
1976	141	2.4
1977	129	2.1

B. 10 - 1970 CENSUS: FAMILIES RECEIVING PUBLIC ASSISTANCE

# FAMILIES RECEIVING PUBLIC ASSISTANCE	% OF ALL FAMILIES IN NEIGHBORHOOD	% OF FAMILIES IN PROVIDENCE RECEIVING PUBLIC ASSISTANCE
63	3.0	3.4

B.11 - 1970 CENSUS: UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS RECEIVING PUBLIC ASSISTANCE

# PERSONS	% OF UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS IN NEIGHBORHOOD	% OF TOTAL UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS RECEIVING PUBLIC ASSISTANCE IN PROVIDENCE
423	39.4	2.3

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C.1 - 1975: TOTAL HOUSING, VACANCY RATE, AND UNITS IN NEED OF SUBSTANTIAL REHABILITATION

Characteristics	Number
Total Housing Units	2512
Vacancy Rate	1.7%
% of Units in Need of Substantial Rehabilitation *	56.9

* The need for "substantial rehabilitation" was determined by the Department of Planning and Urban Development based on a survey which considered structural factors including: Foundation, Exterior Shell, Porches and Stairs, Gutters and Down Spouts, Doors and Windows, Roof and Chimney.

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D. 1 - 1966-1974: NET EFFECT OF RESIDENT BIRTHS AND DEATHS

YEAR	BIRTHS	% OF CITY BIRTHS	DEATHS	% OF CITY DEATHS	NET EFFECT
1966	94	2.9	63	2.4	+31
1967	92	2.9	82	3.1	+10
1968	97	3.1	69	2.6	+28
1969	83	2.7	64	2.6	+19
1970	79	2.5	59	2.4	+20
1971	95	3.3	80	3.4	+15
1972	76	3.0	85	3.7	-9
1973	78	3.3	57	2.4	+21
1974	58	2.7	63	3.0	-5
TOTALS	752		622		+130
5 YR. AVERAGE 1970-74	77.2	3.0	68.8	3.0	+8.4

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D.2 - 1970-1974: SELECTED HEALTH INDICES: MORTALITY

	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	5 YEAR AVERAGE
eaths by Cause						
Malignant Neoplasms	15	20	19	14	16	16.8
Lung	5	5	1	5	3	3.8
Breast	2	1	4	2	-	1.8
Cervix	-	-	-	-	-	0.0
Colon & Rectum	3	1	2	2	3	2.2
Diabetes Mellitus	-	4	2	1	1	1.6
Cadiovascular Disease	34	40	50	29	31	36.8
Heart Disease (All Forms)	26	35	36	23	22	28.4
Myocardial Infarction	7	11	18	10	7	10.6
Chronic Ischemic Heart Dis.	15	16	12	12	11	13.2
Cerebrovascular Disease	5	4	10	4	4	5.4
Respiratory Disease	1	6	4	4	5	4.0
Pneumonia/Influenza	1	3	3	1	3	2.2
Emphysema	-	1	1	1	1	0.8
Gastrointestinal Disease	-	3	5	1	4	2.6
Cirrhosis of the Liver	-	2	2	1	2	1.4
External Causes	3	2	2	3	2	2.4
Motor Vehicle Accidents	1	1	1	1	1	1.0

otal Deaths	59	80	85	57	63	68.8
Mean Age at Death	67.5	68.5	71.0	67.8	73.5	69.7
Infant Deaths	2	3	2	1	-	1.6
Number Age 65 and Over	39	59	61	36	51	49.2

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D.3 - 1970-1974: SELECTED HEALTH INDICIES; NATALITY

INDICIES	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	Five Year Average
LIVE BIRTHS	79	95	76	78	58	77.2
NEWBORNS WEIGHING BELOW 2500 GRAMS (5½ LBS.)	4	4	8	4	2	4.4
BIRTHS TO MOTHERS UNDER AGE 20	8	6	9	11	9	8.6
BIRTHS TO MOTHERS AGE 35 AND OVER	6	4	3	8	2	4.6
BIRTHS OF PARITY GREATER THAN 3	10	8	5	14	3	8.0

D.4 - 1977: ADMISSIONS AND RATE/THOUSAND TO PROVIDENCE MENTAL HEALTH CENTER

ADMISSIONS	RATE/THOUSAND	% OF NEIGHBORHOOD POPULATION
34	5.2	0.5

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E.1 - 1972, 1973: FAMILY COURT HEARINGS OTHER THAN WAYWARD/DELINQUENT (MOTOR VEHICLE VIOLATIONS EXCLUDED), MALE AND FEMALE CHILDREN

	1973		1972	
MALE CHILDREN	# CASES	% CITY CASES	# CASES	% CITY CASES
NEW	11	4.6	7	2.5
REPEATERS	6	1.8	7	2.6
VIOLATORS OF PROBATION	3	1.1	2	0.6

	1973		1972	
FEMALE CHILDREN	# CASES	% CITY CASES	# CASES	% CITY CASES
NEW	-	-	-	-
REPEATERS	-	-	1	2.3
VIOLATORS OF PROBATION	-	-	-	-

	1973		1972	
TOTAL CHILDREN	# CASES	% CITY CASES	# CASES	% CITY CASES
NEW	11	3.4	7	1.8
REPEATERS	6	1.6	8	2.5
VIOLATORS OF PROBATION	3	0.9	2	0.5

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E.2 - 1972, 1973: NON-JUDICIAL MOTOR VEHICLE VIOLATIONS ONLY

MALE CHILDREN	1973 # CASES	1973 % CITY CASES	1972 # CASES	1972 % CITY CASES
NEW	3	3.8	2	2.5
REPEATERS	-	-	1	14.3
VIOLATORS OF PROBATION	-	-	-	-

FEMALE CHILDREN	1973 # CASES	1973 % CITY CASES	1972 # CASES	1972 % CITY CASES
NEW	-	-	1	9.1
REPEATERS	-	-	-	-
VIOLATORS OF PROBATION	-	-	-	-

TOTAL CHILDREN	1973 # CASES	1973 % CITY CASES	1972 # CASES	1972 % CITY CASES
NEW	3	3.3	3	3.3
REPEATERS	-	-	1	12.5
VIOLATORS OF PROBATION	-	-	-	-

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E.3 1972, 1973: NON-JUDICIAL - OTHER THAN WAYWARD/DELINQUENT
(MOTOR VEHICLE VIOLATIONS EXCLUDED)

MALE CHILDREN	1973		1972	
	# CASES	% CITY CASES	# CASES	% CITY CASES
NEW	2	5.4	2	9.1
REPEATERS	-	-	1	25.0
VIOLATORS OF PROBATION	-	-	-	-

FEMALE CHILDREN	1973		1972	
	# CASES	% CITY CASES	# CASES	% CITY CASES
NEW	-	-	2	18.1
REPEATERS	-	-	-	-
VIOLATORS OF PROBATION	-	-	-	-

TOTAL CHILDREN	1973		1972	
	# CASES	% CITY CASES	# CASES	% CITY CASES
NEW	2	3.3	4	12.1
REPEATERS	-	-	1	25.0
VIOLATORS OF PROBATION	-	-	-	-

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E.4 - 1972, 1973: HEARINGS - MOTOR VEHICLE VIOLATIONS ONLY

ALE HILDREN	1973 # CASES	1973 % CITY CASES	1972 # CASES	1972 % CITY CASES
EW	1	1.5	3	4.3
EPEATERS	2	3.3	3	5.8
IOLATORS OF ROBATION	1	2.8	2	5.5

EMALE HILDREN	1973 # CASES	1973 % CITY CASES	1972 # CASES	1972 % CITY CASES
EW	-	-	-	-
EPEATERS	-	-	-	-
IOLATORS OF ROBATION	-	-	-	-

TAL HILDREN	1973 # CASES	1973 % CITY CASES	1972 # CASES	1972 % CITY CASES
EW	1	1.3	3	3.6
EPEATERS	2	3.2	3	5.6
IOLATORS OF ROBATION	1	2.8	2	5.1

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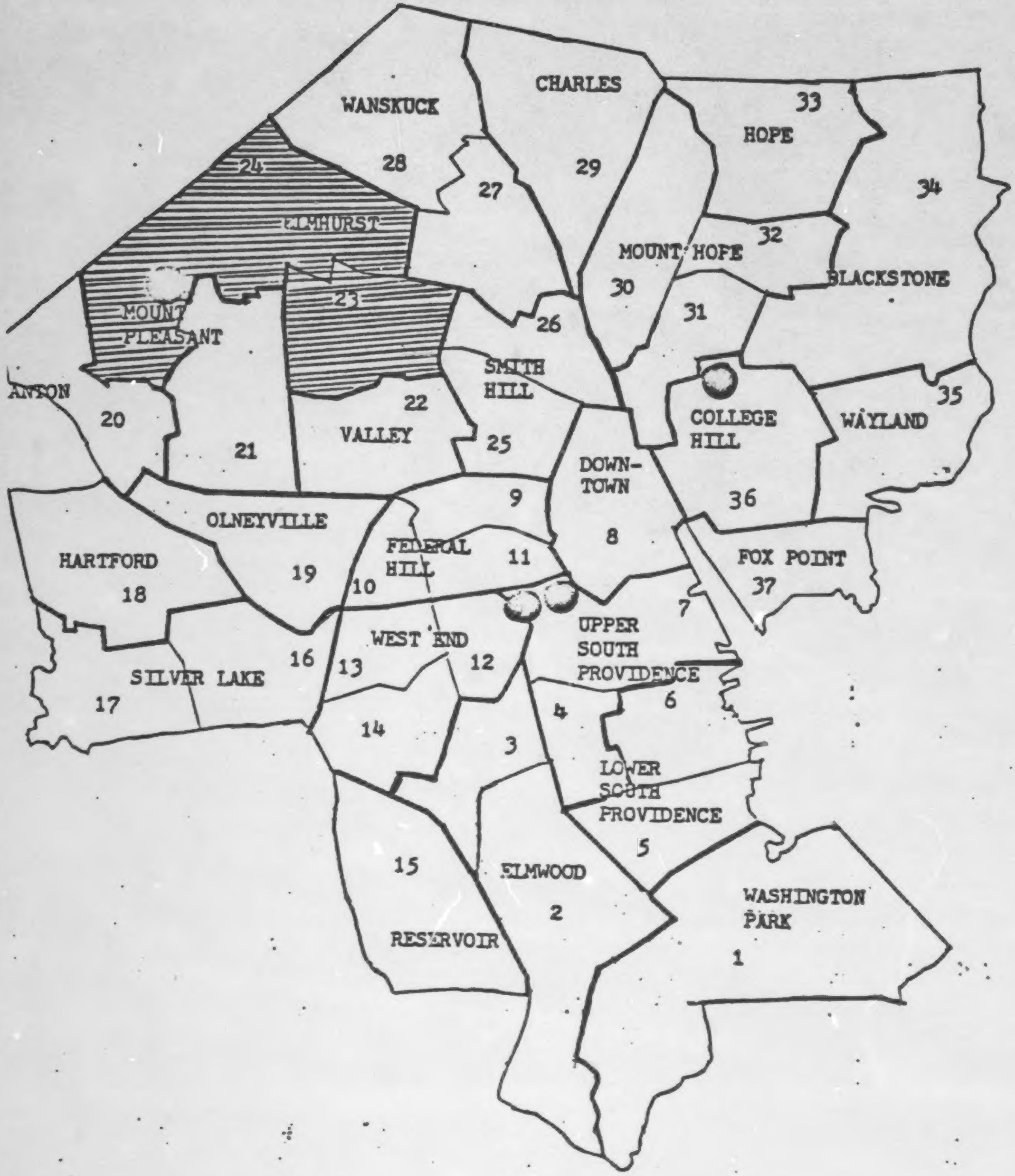

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The Elmhurst neighborhood, composed of census tracts 23 and 24, is located in the north-west portion of the City of Providence. It is bounded on the north by Admiral Street, on the south by Chalkstone Avenue, on the east by Academy Avenue, and on the west by the City of North Providence.

The earliest settlement in this section is unrecorded but it is likely that 17th century activity, if any, was limited to farming. Elmhurst has no single natural resource, such as a river or large pond to provide a focal point for industry or commerce, so this area did not experience the development common to other neighborhoods in the 1800's. At the turn of the century this was largely an attractive, wooded area of country estates.

The transformation of Elmhurst from a rural to a suburban setting was accomplished rapidly in the first part of this century. The neighborhood also served as an attraction for the location of social service and educational institutions. This was due primarily to the availability of large tracts of land in the form of old country estates. The primary institutions now situated in Elmhurst are Providence College, Rhode Island College, Women and Infants Hospital, Children's Center, and Mount Pleasant High School.

In 1970, the population of Elmhurst was 13,943 with a racial and ethnic composition of 99.0% white, 0.6% black and 0.3% Spanish speaking. Between the years of 1960-1970, there was a net increase of 966 whites (7.5%) coupled with an increase of 88 (22%) non-whites. The total foreign stock population for Elmhurst numbered 5471, with the four most frequent countries of origin being Italy (49.2%), Ireland (16.5%), United Kingdom (6.0%), and the USSR (4.3%). English is the predominantly spoken language.

Between the years 1960 and 1970 the median income for all families rose from $5,881 to $10,751, an increase of 82.8%. In 1970, the median income for all unrelated individuals was $1696.00. In 1960, 3347 (96.7%) of Elmhurst's male population fourteen years and older was employed in the civilian labor force as opposed to 2043 (96.7%) of the female population. By 1970 the percentage of males sixteen years and older had increased to 3656 (97.6%), while the measurement shows a decrease to 2461 (96.5%) for the female population. The unemployment rates for 1960 and 1970 were 3.3% and 3.2% respectively. In 1970, 24 (1.1%) of the neighborhood's families were receiving public assistance as were 575 (22.6%) of all unrelated individuals. Between the years 1972 and 1977, the number of AFDC recipients changed from 73 to 91, which corresponds to 1.3% and 1.5% of the number of cases for the City of Providence.

The general housing indicators for Elmhurst has shown variation between 1960 and 1970. The number of owner occupied units was 2549 in 1960 and 2757 in 1970. During this same timespan, the number of renter occupied units changed from 594 to 1197 with a vacancy rate increase from 2.0% to 2.2%. In 1970, the median value of occupied units was $18,800 and the median rent was $80.00. In 1975, the number of units in need of substantial rehabilitation in Elmhurst totalled 4251 (46.2%). Between 1960 and

1970, the total number of rented units increased from 1088 to 1226 with a change in rents from $65 to $80. In 1970, the breakdown of the age of housing as a percentage of the number of housing units appeared as follows: 0.3% built between 1969 and 1970; 2.6% 1965 to 1968; 3.9% 1960 to 1964; 16.0% 1950 to 1959; 13.6% 1940 to 1949; and 63.7% constructed prior to 1939. Also in 1970 there were 1495 households with one automobile, 805 with two and 105 with three or more. Five hundred twenty-seven households were listed as having none at all. The median years of education completed in 1970 by persons twenty-five years and older was 12.2 for the total population.

Currently there are 322 eighth through eleventh graders in Elmhurst which is a part of the Mt. Pleasant High School feeder pattern. Of these 322 students, there are 300 (93.2%) Whites, 10 (3.1%) Blacks and 12 (3.7%) Portuguese and other. With an enrollment of 322, Elmhurst ranks 6th in total high school student enrollment. At the present time, there are no direct bus routes to Central/Classical, or to Hope, but there are 3 to Mt. Pleasant.

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A.1 - 1960, 1975: TOTAL POPULATION BY 5 YEAR INTERVALS				
POPULATION	YEAR			
	1960	1965	1970	1975
NUMBER	12,884	13,752	13,943	13,777
% OF TOTAL POPULATION OF PROVIDENCE	6.4	7.6	7.8	8.3

A.2 - 1960, 1970: POPULATION BY WHITE AND NON-WHITE		
POPULATION	YEAR	
	1960	1970
WHITE	12,844	13,810
NON-WHITE	40	133

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A.3 - 1960, 1970 CENSUS: POPULATION BY RACE AND SPANISH LANGUAGE

YEAR	TOTAL POPULATION	WHITE		NON-WHITE		BLACK		SPANISH LANGUAGE	
		#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%
1960	12884	12844	99.7	40	0.3	25	0.2	N/A	N/A
1970	13943	13810	99.0	133	1.0	87	0.6	62	0.4
1960-1970 Increase (+) Decrease (-)		+966	+7.5	+93	+232.5	+62	+248.0	N/A	N/A
% Change in Proportional Distribution		-0.7		+0.7		+0.4		N/A	

A.4 - 1970 CENSUS: FERTILITY RATIO BY POPULATION

Total Population	52.4

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A.5 - 1970 CENSUS: PERSONS 25 YEARS OF AGE AND OVER BY RACE AND YEARS OF SCHOOL COMPLETED

LEVEL AND YEARS OF SCHOOL COMPLETED	TOTAL POPULATION		WHITE		BLACK		OTHER	
	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%
NO SCHOOL YEAR COMPLETED	202	2.6	187	2.4	-	-	15	38.5
ELEMENTARY: 1-4 YEARS	93	1.2	93	1.2	-	-	-	-
5-7 YEARS	534	6.9	534	6.9	-	-	-	-
8 YEARS	850	10.9	845	10.9	-	-	5	12.8
HIGH SCHOOL: 1-3 YEARS	1640	21.1	1629	21.1			11	28.2
4 YEARS	2495	32.1	2495	32.3	-	-	-	-
COLLEGE: 1-3 YEARS	741	9.5	737	9.5	-	-	4	10.3
4 YEARS OR MORE	1214	15.6	1210	15.7	-	-	4	10.3
TOTAL	7769	100.0	7730	100.0			39	100.0

A.6 - 1970 CENSUS: MEDIAN SCHOOL YEARS COMPLETED
TOTAL POPULATION
12.2

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A.7 - 1970 CENSUS: NATIVITY AND PARENTAGE		
NATIVITY	TOTAL POPULATION	
	#	%
NATIVE OF NATIVE PARENT	8472	60.8
FOREIGN STOCK	5471	39.2
TOTAL	13943	100.0

A.8 - 1970 CENSUS: MOST FREQUENT COUNTRY OF ORIGIN OF FOREIGN STOCK		
COUNTRY OF ORIGIN	# OF PERSONS	% FOREIGN STOCK POPULATION
ITALY	2693	49.2
IRELAND	907	16.6
UNITED KINGDOM	333	6.1
USSR	238	4.4

A.9 - 1970 CENSUS: SPANISH POPULATION INDICATORS		
INDICATORS	# OF PERSONS	% OF TOTAL POPULATION
SPANISH LANGUAGE	62	0.4

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B.1 - 1970 CENSUS: NUMBER OF EMPLOYED PERSONS 16 YEARS OLD AND OVER BY OCCUPATION

OCCUPATION	1960[1] TOTAL PERSONS EMPLOYED		1970 TOTAL PERSONS EMPLOYED		1970 WHITE		1970 BLACK		1970 SPANISH	
	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%
Professional, Technical and Kindred Workers	874	17.6	1152	18.8	1142	18.8	-	-	6	35.3
Managers and Administrators Except Farm	660	13.3	541	8.8	521	8.6	-	-	-	-
Sales Workers	462	9.3	363	5.9	363	6.0	-	-	-	-
Clerical and Kindred Workers	978	19.7	1538	25.1	1531	25.2	7	36.8	-	-
Craftsmen, Foremen and Kindred Workers	659	13.3	641	10.5	641	10.6	-	-	6	35.3
Operatives, Except Transport	695	14.0	625	10.2	625	10.3	-	-	5	29.4
Transport Equipment Operatives	14	0.3	213	3.5	208	3.4	-	-	-	-
Laborers, Except Farm	145	2.9	243	4.0	231	3.8	12	63.2	-	-
Farmers and Farm Managers	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Farm Laborers and Foremen										
Service Workers, Except Private Household	457	9.2	797	13.0	797	13.1	-	-	-	-
Private Household Workers	20	0.4	4	0.1	4	0.6	-	-	-	-
TOTAL	4964	100.0	6117	100.0	6063		19	100.0	17	100.0

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[1] 1960 data listed for persons 14 years old and over.

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B.2 - 1960 CENSUS: EMPLOYMENT STATUS, MALES 14 YEARS AND OVER (CIVILIAN LABOR FORCE)

STATUS	TOTAL	
	#	%
EMPLOYED	3347	96.7
UNEMPLOYED	114	3.3

B.3 - 1960 CENSUS: EMPLOYMENT STATUS, FEMALES 14 YEARS AND OVER (CIVILIAN LABOR FORCE)

STATUS	TOTAL	
	#	%
EMPLOYED	2043	96.6
UNEMPLOYED	72	3.4

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B.4 - 1970 CENSUS: EMPLOYMENT STATUS BY RACE OF MALES 16 YEARS AND OVER (CIVILIAN LABOR FORCE)

STATUS	POPULATION		WHITE		BLACK	
	#	%	#	%	#	%
EMPLOYED	3656	97.6	3622	97.6	19	100.0
UNEMPLOYED	88	2.4	88	2.4	0	-
TOTAL	3744	100.0	3710	100.0	19	100.0

B.5 - 1970 CENSUS: EMPLOYMENT STATUS BY RACE OF FEMALES 16 YEARS AND OVER (CIVILIAN LABOR FORCE)

STATUS	POPULATION		WHITE		BLACK	
	#	%	#	%	#	%
EMPLOYED	2461	95.5	2461	95.7	-	-
UNEMPLOYED	115	4.5	110	4.3	-	-
TOTAL	2576	100.0	2571	100.0	-	-

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B.6 - 1960, 1970 CENSUS: MEDIAN INCOME

6.1 1960 MEDIAN INCOME [1]

YEAR	ALL FAMILIES AND UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS
1960	$4699

6.2 1970 MEDIAN INCOME

YEAR	ALL FAMILIES	ALL UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS
1970	$10,751	$1,696

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1) 1960 Median Income Data is not disaggregated by families and unrelated individuals.

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B.7 - 1970 CENSUS: PERSONS BELOW POVERTY LEVEL

TOTAL POPULATION		
# PERSONS	% OF NEIGHBORHOOD POPULATION	% OF TOTAL POPULATION OF PROVIDENCE BELOW POVERTY LEVEL
956	6.9	3.0

B.8 - 1970 CENSUS: NUMBER OF RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 IN FAMILIES BELOW POVERTY LEVEL BY RACE

TOTAL POPULATION			WHITE		BLACK		OTHER	
# PERSONS	% OF NEIGHBORHOOD POPULATION BELOW 18 YEARS	% OF RELATED CHILDREN IN PROVIDENCE UNDER 18 YEARS, BELOW POVERTY LEVEL	#	%	#	%	#	%
107	3.3	1.0	107	100.0	-	-	-	-

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B.9 - 1972-1977: DECEMBER AFDC CASES		
YEAR	NUMBER OF CASES	% OF CASES IN PROVIDENCE
1972	73	1.3
1973	83	1.5
1974	85	1.5
1975	86	1.5
1976	87	1.4
1977	91	1.5

B. 10 - 1970 CENSUS: FAMILIES RECEIVING PUBLIC ASSISTANCE		
# FAMILIES RECEIVING PUBLIC ASSISTANCE	% OF ALL FAMILIES IN NEIGHBORHOOD	% OF FAMILIES IN PROVIDENCE RECEIVING PUBLIC ASSISTANCE
24	1.1	0.7

B.11 - 1970 CENSUS: UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS RECEIVING PUBLIC ASSISTANCE		
# PERSONS	% OF UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS IN NEIGHBORHOOD	% OF TOTAL UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS RECEIVING PUBLIC ASSISTANCE IN PROVIDENCE
575	22.6	3.1

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C.1 - 1975: TOTAL HOUSING, VACANCY RATE, AND UNITS IN NEED OF SUBSTANTIAL REHABILITATION

Characteristics	Number
Total Housing Units	9206
Vacancy Rate	1.0%
% of Units in Need of Substantial Rehabilitation *	46.2

* The need for "substantial rehabilitation" was determined by the Department of Planning and Urban Development based on a survey which considered structural factors including: Foundation, Exterior Shell, Porches and Stairs, Gutters and Down Spouts, Doors and Windows, Roof and Chimney.

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C.2 - 1970 CENSUS: UNITS IN STRUCTURE AS A PERCENTAGE OF NEIGHBORHOOD'S HOUSING STRUCTURES		
	1970	
NUMBER OF UNITS IN STRUCTURE	#	%
1 (INCLUDES MOBILE HOME/ TRAILER)	2,199	54.4
2	1,166	28.9
3 AND 4	588	14.6
5 TO 49	87	2.2
50 AND OVER	0	.0
TOTAL YEAR-ROUND HOUSING UNITS	4,040	100.0

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C.3 - 1970 CENSUS: AGE OF NEIGHBORHOOD HOUSING AS A PERCENTAGE OF TOTAL NEIGHBORHOOD HOUSING UNITS

AGE OF HOUSING	#	%
1969 TO MARCH 1970	11	0.3
1965 TO 1968	105	2.6
1960 TO 1964	156	3.9
1950 TO 1959	646	16.0
1940 TO 1949	548	13.6
1939 AND EARLIER	2,574	63.7
TOTAL	4,040	100.0

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C.4 - 1960, 1970 CENSUS: HOUSING UNITS BY OWNER AND RENTER

	1960	1970	Net Change 1960-1970
Total Housing Units	3716	4040	+ 324
Owner Occupied	2549	2757	+ 208
Renter Occupied	594	1197	+ 603
Vacancy Rate	2.0%	2.2%	+ 10.0%

C.4 - 1970 CENSUS: MEDIAN VALUE OR RENT OF OCCUPIED UNITS

STATUS	1970
Median Value	$18,800
Median Rent	$74

C.6 - 1960, 1970 CENSUS: RENTER-OCCUPIED AS A PERCENTAGE OF NEIGHBORHOOD'S RENTED UNITS

	1960		1970	
	#	%	#	%
Total - Rented Units	1062	100.0	1197	100.0
Less Than $40	-	-	14	1.2
$40 to $59	23	2.2	22	1.8
$60 to $79	156	14.7	109	9.1
$80 to $99	455	42.8	283	23.6
$100 to $149	300	28.2	632	52.8
$150 and Over	128	12.1	52	4.3
No Cash Rents			85	7.1
Median Rent	$76	-	$107	-

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C. 7 - 1970 CENSUS: VALUE OF OWNER OCCUPIED HOUSING BY HEAD OF HOUSEHOLD

SINGLE FAMILY	TOTAL OWNER OCCUPIED UNITS	
	#	%
Less Than $5,000	2	.1
$5,000 - $7,499	11	.5
$7,500 - $9,999	36	1.7
$10,000 - $14,999	380	17.9
$15,000 - $19,999	856	40.3
$20,000 - $24,999	514	24.2
$25,000 - $34,999	228	10.7
$35,000 - $49,999	79	3.7
$50,000 and over	19	.9
TOTAL	2125	100.0

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C.8 - 1960, 1970 CENSUS: DENSITY OF RESIDENCE WITHIN HOUSING UNIT

	1960		1970	
	#	%	#	%
TOTAL NUMBER OF OCCUPIED UNITS	3643	100.0	3954	100.0
ROOMS WITH 1.00 PERSONS OR LESS	3495	95.9	3823	96.7
ROOMS WITH 1.01 PERSONS OR MORE	148	4.1	131	3.3
MEDIAN PERSONS PER OCCUPIED UNIT	2.9	-	2.6	-

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C. 9 - 1970 CENSUS: NUMBER OF AUTOMOBILES AVAILABLE BY HOUSEHOLD

Automobiles	# Households
One	1899
Two	1247
Three or More	181
None	627

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C. 10 1975 DISTRIBUTION OF LAND USE BY NEIGHBORHOOD

LAND USE CATEGORY	LAND AREA IN SQ. FT.	% OF TOTAL AREA
Undeveloped Land and Water Areas	2,154,494	5.9
Residential Uses (Total)	17,467,519	47.7
One Family	12,677,108	34.6
Two Family	2,635,790	7.2
Three Family	802,553	2.2
Multi-Family	115,076	0.3
Other	1,236,992	3.4
Manufacturing	9,718	0
Transportation, Communication and Utilities	469,284	1.2
Trade (Total)	191,483	.5
Wholesale	--	--
Retail	191,483	.5
General Services	71,759	.2
Institutional and Governmental Services (Total)	10,958,933	30.0
Education (Nursery, Primary and Secondary)	3,864,614	10.6
Educational Services (other)	3,383,180	9.2
Religious Services	88,151	.2
Medical and Health Services	638,425	1.7
Government	--	--
Other (Service Organizations, Cemeteries, etc.)	2,984,563	8.2
Cultural, Entertainment, and Recreation Services	5,284,155	14.4
Resource Production and Extraction	--	--
Totals	36,607,345	100.0

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D. 1 - 1966-1974: NET EFFECT OF RESIDENT BIRTHS AND DEATHS

YEAR	BIRTHS	% OF CITY BIRTHS	DEATHS	% OF CITY DEATHS	NET EFFECT
1966	149	4.5	128	4.8	+21
1967	150	4.8	189	7.1	-39
1968	140	4.5	164	6.2	-24
1969	145	4.7	138	5.6	+7
1970	134	4.2	145	5.9	-11
1971	150	5.1	133	5.6	+17
1972	124	5.0	165	7.2	-41
1973	109	4.6	159	6.7	-50
1974	101	4.8	117	4.5	-16
TOTALS	1202	-	1338	-	-136
5 YR. AVERAGE 1970-74	123.6	4.7	143.8	5.9	-20.2

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D.2 - 1970-1974: SELECTED HEALTH INDICES: MORTALITY

	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	5 YEAR AVERAGE
ths by Cause						
alignant Neoplasms	33	32	41	41	31	35.6
Lung	3	2	6	5	4	4.0
Breast	3	4	3	3	5	3.6
Cervix	1	-	-	1	-	0.4
Colon & Rectum	6	6	7	12	5	7.2
iabetes Mellitus	3	6	4	2	1	3.2
adiovascular Disease	84	73	93	91	66	81.4
Heart Disease (All Forms)	62	57	66	65	46	59.2
Myocardial Infarction	27	22	27	32	19	25.4
Chronic Ischemic Heart Dis.	27	30	31	26	16	26.0
Cerebrovascular Disease	16	13	22	22	14	17.4
espiratory Disease	6	6	8	7	8	7.0
Pneumonia/Influenza	4	4	5	5	2	4.0
Emphysema	1	-	-	-	3	0.8
astrointestinal Disease	5	5	6	4	2	4.4
Cirrhosis of the Liver	5	1	3	2	1	2.4
xternal Causes	8	4	8	6	6	6.4
Motor Vehicle Accidents	2	2	1	2	1	1.6
al Deaths	145	133	165	159	117	143.8
ean Age at Death	68.2	69.8	70.6	70.7	72.5	73.6
nfant Deaths	2	3	-	2	-	1.4
mber Age 65 and Over	98	99	121	116	91	105.0

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D.3 - 1970-1974: SELECTED HEALTH INDICIES: NATALITY

INDICIES	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	Five Year Average
LIVE BIRTHS	134	150	124	109	101	123.6
NEWBORNS WEIGHING BELOW 2500 GRAMS (5½ LBS.)	7	7	4	6	4	5.6
BIRTHS TO MOTHERS UNDER AGE 20	8	10	5	8	5	7.2
BIRTHS TO MOTHERS AGE 35 AND OVER	9	8	8	9	3	7.4
BIRTHS OF PARITY GREATER THAN 3	20	20	12	13	8	14.6

D.4 - 1977: ADMISSIONS AND RATE/THOUSAND TO PROVIDENCE MENTAL HEALTH CENTER

ADMISSIONS	RATE/THOUSAND	% OF NEIGHBORHOOD POPULATION
31	2.5	0.2

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E. 1 - 1972, 1973: FAMILY COURT HEARINGS OTHER THAN WAYWARD/DELINQUENT (MOTOR VEHILCE VIOLATIONS EXCLUDED), MALE AND FEMALE CHILDREN

	1973		1972	
MALE CHILDREN	# CASES	% CITY CASES	# CASES	% CITY CASES
NEW	14	5.8	14	5.1
REPEATERS	10	3.1	8	2.9
VIOLATORS OF PROBATION	2	0.7	8	2.3

	1973		1972	
FEMALE CHILDREN	# CASES	% CITY CASES	# CASES	% CITY CASES
NEW	5	6.2	1	1.0
REPEATERS	1	2.1	1	2.3
VIOLATORS OF PROBATION	-	-	-	-

	1973		1972	
TOTAL CHILDREN	# CASES	% CITY CASES	# CASES	% CITY CASES
NEW	19	5.9	15	4.0
REPEATERS	11	3.0	9	2.8
VIOLATORS OF PROBATION	2	0.6	8	2.2

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E.2 - 1972, 1973: NON-JUDICIAL MOTOR VEHICLE VIOLATIONS ONLY

ALE HILDREN	1973		1972	
	# CASES	% CITY CASES	# CASES	% CITY CASES
EW	5	6.4	5	6.2
EPEATERS	1	6.6	-	-
IOLATORS OF ROBATION	-	-	-	-

EMALE HILDREN	1973		1972	
	# CASES	% CITY CASES	# CASES	% CITY CASES
EW	1	8.3	-	-
EPEATERS	-	-	-	-
IOLATORS OF ROBATION	-	-	-	-

OTAL HILDREN	1973		1972	
	# CASES	% CITY CASES	# CASES	% CITY CASES
EW	6	6.6	5	5.5
EPEATERS	1	6.8	-	-
IOLATORS OF ROBATION	-	-	-	-

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E.3 - 1972, 1973: NON-JUDICIAL - OTHER THAN WAYWARD/DELINQUENT

(MOTOR VEHICLE VIOLATIONS EXCLUDED)

	1973		1972	
ALE HILDREN	# CASES	% CITY CASES	# CASES	% CITY CASES
EW	1	2.7	-	-
EPEATERS	-	-	1	25.0
IOLATORS OF ROBATION	-	-	-	-

	1973		1972	
EMALE HILDREN	# CASES	% CITY CASES	# CASES	% CITY CASES
EW	-	-	-	-
EPEATERS	-	-	-	-
IOLATORS OF ROBATION	1	100.0	-	-

	1973		1972	
OTAL HILDREN	# CASES	% CITY CASES	# CASES	% CITY CASES
EW	1	1.7	-	-
EPEATERS	-	-	1	25.0
IOLATORS OF ROBATION	1	20.0	-	-

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E.4 - 1972, 1973: HEARINGS - MOTOR VEHICLE VIOLATIONS ONLY

	1973		1972	
ALE HILDREN	# CASES	% CITY CASES	# CASES	% CITY CASES
EW	5	7.6	4	5.7
EPEATERS	1	1.6	2	3.9
IOLATORS OF ROBATION	1	2.8	1	2.7

	1973		1972	
EMALE HILDREN	# CASES	% CITY CASES	# CASES	% CITY CASES
EW	-	-	2	15.3
EPEATERS	-	-	-	-
IOLATORS OF ROBATION	-	-	-	-

	1973		1972	
OTAL HILDREN	# CASES	% CITY CASES	# CASES	% CITY CASES
EW	5	6.9	6	7.3
EPEATERS	1	1.6	2	3.7
IOLATORS OF ROBATION	1	2.8	1	2.6

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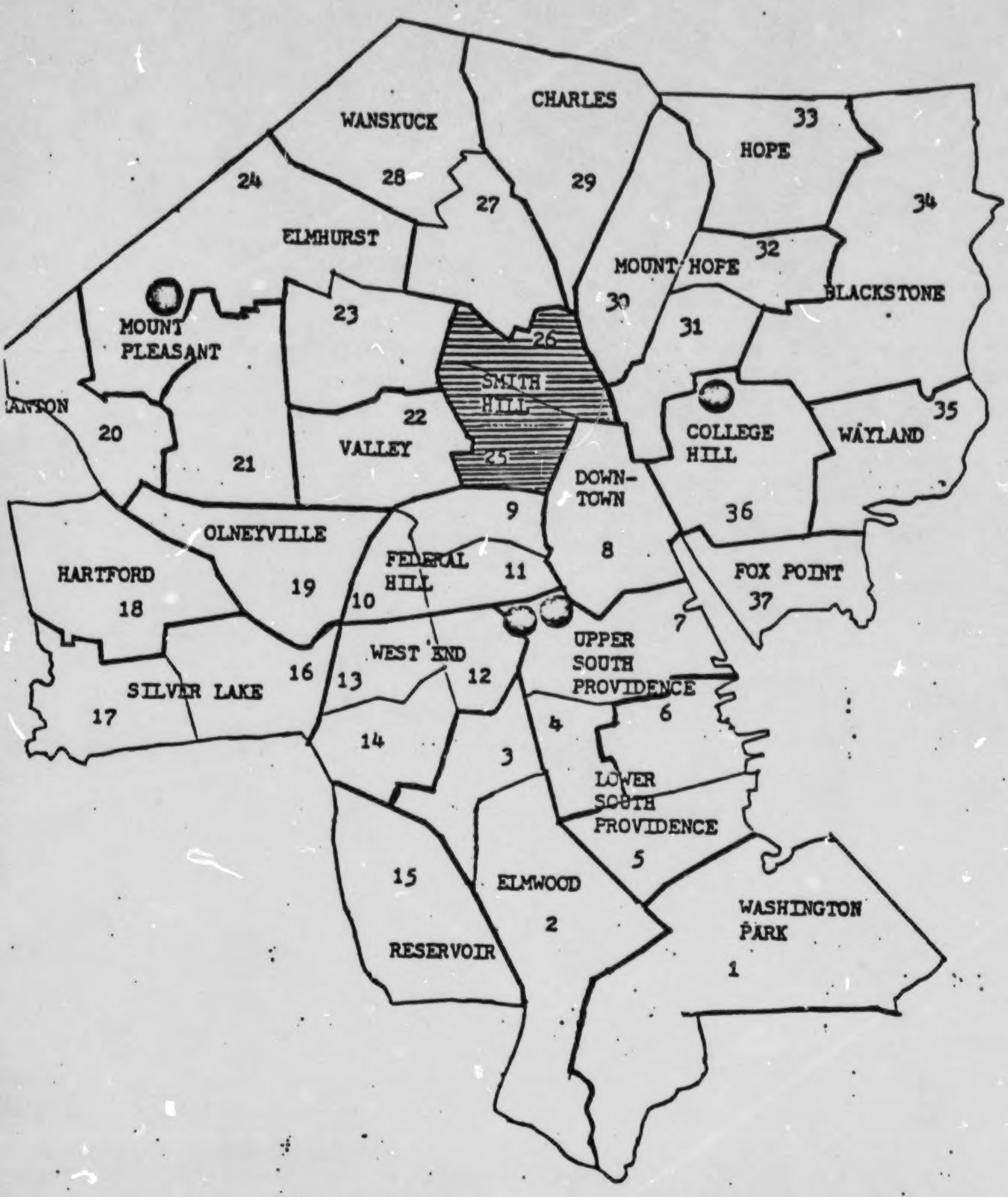
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SMITH HILL

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The Smith Hill neighborhood, composed of census tracts 25 and 26, is located along the Woonasquatucket River in the central portion of the City of Providence. It is bounded on the north by the Chad Brown Housing Project, on the south and east by the old Penn Central Railroad Tracks, and on the west by the Pleasant Valley Parkway.

This neighborhood takes its name from John Smith, who in 1638 became the first known miller in Providence. Despite the fact that Smith Hill was part of the original purchase of Roger Williams from the Indians, it remained sparsely populated up to and through the first portion of the nineteenth century. Beginnning in the 1840's a flood of Irish immigrants streamed into the eastern United States, and a large number of them settled in this neighborhood. The primary attraction in this area was the Woonasquatucket, along which industrilization was rapidly expanding. By 1870, Smith Hill was well known as an Irish stronghold.

The late nineteenth and early twentieth centuries saw this neighborhood take on a diverse ethnic character, with the influx of large numbers of Eastern European Jews, Armenians, Poles, Lithuanians, and Swedes. The three decker dwelling proliferated Smith Hill, as it did in other working-class sections of Providence, and is still in use there today.

At the present time, the Smith Hill area is primarily residential, with related neighborhood business located on major thoroughfares and concentrated at important intersections. The southern section along the Woonasquatucket remains filled with industrial-type buildings, most of which have been converted to other uses as industry has left the neighborhood.

In 1970, the population of Smith Hill was 7003 with a racial and ethnic composition of 92.8% White, 5.6% Black and 1.6% Spanish speaking and other groups. Between the years of 1960-1970, there was a net decrease of 2716 whites (29.5%) coupled with an increase of 87 (20.1%) non-whites. The total foreign stock population for Smith Hill numbered 2915, with the four most frequent countries of origin being Italy (20.7%), Ireland (12.0%), USSR (7.1%), Poland (6.2%). English is the predominantly spoken language.

Between the years 1960 and 1970 the median income for all families rose from $2,367.00 to $7,366.00, an increase of 211.0%. The median income for all unrelated individuals was $2,313.00 in 1970. In 1960, 2406 (95.1%) of Smith Hill's male population fourteen years and older was employed in the civilian labor force as opposed to 1432 (92.4%) of the female population. By 1970 the percentage of males sixteen years and older had risen to 1622 (94.7%) and 1286 (95.3%) for the female population. The unemployment rates for 1960 and 1970 were 6.25% and 5.0% respectively.

With an unemployment rate of 5.0% in Smith Hill in 1970, 137 (7.5%) of the neighborhood's families were receiving public assistance, as were 439 (43.6%) of all unrelated individuals. Between the years 1972 and 1977, the number of AFDC recipients changed from 325 to 118 which corresponds to 6.0% and 2.1% of the number of cases for the City of Providence.

The general housing indicators for Smith Hill have shown variation between 1960 and 1970. The number of owner occupied units was 1127 in 1960 and 970 in 1970. During this same timespan, the number of renter occupied units changed from 2117 to 2065 with a vacancy rate decrease from 13.1% to 7.1%. In 1970, the median value of occupied units was $11,666 and the median rent was $82.00. In 1975, the number of units in need of substantial rehabilitation in Smith Hill totalled 2241 (79.6%). Between 1960 and 1970, the total number of rented units decreased from 2326 to 1985 with the corresponding change in rents from $57.00 to $82.00. In 1970 the breakdown of the age of Smith Hill housing as a percentage of the number of housing units appeared as follows: 0.3% built between 1969 and 1970; 0% 1965 to 1968; 0.2% 1960 to 1964; 2.2% 1950 to 1959; 6.7% 1940 to 1949; and 90.5% constructed prior to 1939. Also in 1970 there were 1327 households with one automobile, 315 with two and 21 with three or more. Nine hundred ninety-four households were listed as having none at all. The median years of education completed in 1970 by persons twenty-five years and older was 10.2 for the total population.

Currently there are 204 eighth through eleventh graders in Smith Hill which is a part of the Mount Pleasant High School feeder pattern. Of these 204 students, 71.1% are white, 13.7% are black, and 15.2% Portuguese and other. With an enrollment of 204, Smith Hill ranks 14th in total high school student enrollment. At the present time, there are 2 bus routes directly to Central/Classical, none to Hope and five to Mount Pleasant.

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A.1 - 1960, 1975: TOTAL POPULATION BY 5 YEAR INTERVALS				
POPULATION	YEAR			
	1960	1965	1970	1975
NUMBER	9,632	7,619	7,003	6,044
% OF TOTAL POPULATION OF PROVIDENCE	4.8	4.2	3.9	3.7

A.2 - 1960, 1970: POPULATION BY WHITE AND NON-WHITE		
POPULATION	YEAR	
	1960	1970
WHITE	9,200	6,484
NON-WHITE	432	519

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A.3 - 1960, 1970 CENSUS: POPULATION BY RACE AND SPANISH LANGUAGE

YEAR	TOTAL POPULATION	WHITE		NON-WHITE		BLACK		SPANISH LANGUAGE	
		#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%
1960	9632	9200	95.5	432	4.5	384	4.0	N/A	N/A
1970	7003	6484	92.6	519	7.4	435	6.2	90	1.3
1960-1970 Increase (+) Decrease (-)		-2716	-29.5	+87	+20.1	-51	-13.3	N/A	N/A
% Change in Proportional Distribution		-2.9		+2.9		+2.2		N/A	

A.4 - 1970 CENSUS: FERTILITY RATIO BY POPULATION

Total Population	109.6

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A.5 - 1970 CENSUS: PERSONS 25 YEARS OF AGE AND OVER BY RACE AND YEARS OF SCHOOL COMPLETED

LEVEL AND YEARS OF SCHOOL COMPLETED	TOTAL POPULATION		WHITE		BLACK		OTHER	
	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%
NO SCHOOL YEAR COMPLETED	167	3.9	157	3.9	10	5.0	-	-
ELEMENTARY: 1-4 YEARS	228	5.4	206	5.2	22	11.0	-	-
5-7 YEARS	575	13.6	547	13.7	22	11.0	6	13.6
8 YEARS	660	15.6	637	15.9	23	12.0	-	-
HIGH SCHOOL: 1-3 YEARS	1389	32.8	1275	31.9	92	46.0	22	50.0
4 YEARS	973	22.9	936	23.4	21	11.0	16	36.4
COLLEGE: 1-3 YEARS	144	3.4	134	3.4	10	5.0	-	-
4 YEARS OR MORE	105	2.5	105	2.6	0	0	-	-
TOTAL	4241	100.1	3997	100.0	200	101.0	44	100.0

A.6 - 1970 CENSUS: MEDIAN SCHOOL YEARS COMPLETED

TOTAL POPULATION
10.0

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A.7 - 1970 CENSUS: NATIVITY AND PARENTAGE

NATIVITY	TOTAL POPULATION	
	#	%
NATIVE OF NATIVE PARENT	4053	58.2
FOREIGN STOCK	2915	41.8
TOTAL	6968	100.0

A.8 - 1970 CENSUS: MOST FREQUENT COUNTRY OF ORIGIN OF FOREIGN STOCK

COUNTRY OF ORIGIN	# OF PERSONS	% FOREIGN STOCK POPULATION
ITALY	604	20.7
IRELAND	450	15.4
USSR	208	7.1
POLAND	180	6.2

A.9 - 1970 CENSUS: SPANISH POPULATION INDICATORS

INDICATORS	# OF PERSONS	% OF TOTAL POPULATION
SPANISH LANGUAGE	90	1.3

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B.1 - 1970 CENSUS: NUMBER OF EMPLOYED PERSONS 16 YEARS OLD AND OVER BY OCCUPATION

OCCUPATION	1960[1] TOTAL PERSONS EMPLOYED #	%	1970 TOTAL PERSONS EMPLOYED #	%	WHITE #	%	BLACK #	%	SPANISH #	%
Professional, Technical and Kindred Workers	225	6.4	226	7.8	219	7.9	5	5.7	-	-
Managers and Administrators Except Farm	139	3.9	89	3.1	89	3.2	-	-	-	-
Sales Workers	249	7.0	147	5.0	145	5.2	2	2.3	7	25.9
Clerical and Kindred Workers	601	17.0	441	15.2	436	15.7	5	5.7	-	-
Craftsmen, Foremen and Kindred Workers	536	15.2	403	13.8	385	13.9	10	11.5	7	25.9
Operatives, Except Transport	1058	29.9	959	33.0	913	32.8	26	29.9	13	48.1
Transport Equipment Operatives	24	0.7	144	4.9	140	5.0	4	4.6	-	-
Laborers, Except Farm	142	4.0	78	2.7	75	2.7	3	3.4	-	-
Farmers and Farm Managers	-	-	11	0.4	11	0.4	-	-	-	-
Farm Laborers and Foremen										
Service Workers, Except Private Household	473	13.4	383	13.2	347	12.5	28	32.2	-	-
Private Household Workers	88	2.5	27	0.9	23	0.8	4	4.6	-	-
TOTAL	3535	100.0	2908	100.0	2783		87		27	

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[1] 1960 data listed for persons 14 years old and over.

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B.2 - 1960 CENSUS: EMPLOYMENT STATUS, MALES 14 YEARS AND OVER (CIVILIAN LABOR FORCE)

STATUS	TOTAL	
	#	%
EMPLOYED	2406	95.1
UNEMPLOYED	125	4.9

B.3 - 1960 CENSUS: EMPLOYMENT STATUS, FEMALES 14 YEARS AND OVER (CIVILIAN LABOR FORCE)

STATUS	TOTAL	
	#	%
EMPLOYED	1432	92.4
UNEMPLOYED	118	7.6

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B.4 - 1970 CENSUS: EMPLOYMENT STATUS BY RACE OF MALES 16 YEARS AND OVER (CIVILIAN LABOR FORCE)

STATUS	POPULATION		WHITE		BLACK	
	#	%	#	%	#	%
EMPLOYED	1622	94.7	1556	94.8	50	75.6
UNEMPLOYED	90	5.3	85	5.2	16	24.2
TOTAL	1712	100.0	1641	100.0	66	100.0

B.5 - 1970 CENSUS: EMPLOYMENT STATUS BY RACE OF FEMALES 16 YEARS AND OVER (CIVILIAN LABOR FORCE)

STATUS	POPULATION		WHITE		BLACK	
	#	%	#	%	#	%
EMPLOYED	1286	95.3	1229	95.1	37	100.0
UNEMPLOYED	63	4.7	63	4.9	0	0.0
TOTAL	1349	100.0	1292	100.0	37	100.0

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B.6 - 1960, 1970 CENSUS: MEDIAN INCOME

6.1 1960 MEDIAN INCOME [1]

YEAR	ALL FAMILIES AND UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS
1960	$3648

6.2 1970 MEDIAN INCOME

YEAR	ALL FAMILIES	ALL UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS
1970	$7,366	$2,313

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1) 1960 Median Income Data is not disaggregated by families and unrelated individuals.

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B.7 - 1970 CENSUS: PERSONS BELOW POVERTY LEVEL

TOTAL POPULATION		
# PERSONS	% OF NEIGHBORHOOD POPULATION	% OF TOTAL POPULATION OF PROVIDENCE BELOW POVERTY LEVEL
1720	24.6	5.3

B.8 - 1970 CENSUS: NUMBER OF RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 IN FAMILIES BELOW POVERTY LEVEL BY RACE

TOTAL POPULATION			WHITE		BLACK		OTHER	
# PERSONS	% OF NEIGHBORHOOD POPULATION BELOW 18 YEARS	% OF RELATED CHILDREN IN PROVIDENCE UNDER 18 YEARS, BELOW POVERTY LEVEL	#	%	#	%	#	%
702	37.7	6.3	439	62.5	248	35.3	15	2.1

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B.9 - 1972-1977: DECEMBER AFDC CASES

YEAR	NUMBER OF CASES	% OF CASES IN PROVIDENCE
1972	325	6.0
1973	286	5.3
1974	230	4.1
1975	284	5.0
1976	278	4.8
1977	118	-

B. 10 - 1970 CENSUS: FAMILIES RECEIVING PUBLIC ASSISTANCE

# FAMILIES RECEIVING PUBLIC ASSISTANCE	% OF ALL FAMILIES IN NEIGHBORHOOD	% OF FAMILIES IN PROVIDENCE RECEIVING PUBLIC ASSISTANCE
137	6.5	7.5

B.11 - 1970 CENSUS: UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS RECEIVING PUBLIC ASSISTANCE

# PERSONS	% OF UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS IN NEIGHBORHOOD	% OF TOTAL UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS RECEIVING PUBLIC ASSISTANCE IN PROVIDENCE
439	43.6	2.4

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C.1 - 1975: TOTAL HOUSING, VACANCY RATE, AND UNITS IN NEED OF SUBSTANTIAL REHABILITATION

Characteristics	Number
Total Housing Units	2817
Vacancy Rate	7.6%
% of Units in Need of Substantial Rehabilitation *	79.6

* The need for "substantial rehabilitation" was determined by the Department of Planning and Urban Development based on a survey which considered structural factors including: Foundation, Exterior Shell, Porches and Stairs, Gutters and Down Spouts, Doors and Windows, Roof and Chimney.

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C.2 - 1970 CENSUS: UNITS IN STRUCTURE AS A PERCENTAGE OF NEIGHBORHOOD'S HOUSING STRUCTURES

	1970	
NUMBER OF UNITS IN STRUCTURE	#	%
1 (INCLUDES MOBILE HOME/ TRAILER)	330	11.1
2	796	26.8
3 AND 4	1,643	55.3
5 TO 49	201	2.8
50 AND OVER	0	.0
TOTAL YEAR-ROUND HOUSING UNITS	2,970	100.0

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C.3 - 1970 CENSUS: AGE OF NEIGHBORHOOD HOUSING AS A PERCENTAGE OF TOTAL NEIGHBORHOOD HOUSING UNITS

AGE OF HOUSING	#	%
1969 TO MARCH 1970	10	0.3
1965 TO 1968	-	-
1960 TO 1964	6	0.2
1950 TO 1959	65	2.2
1940 TO 1949	200	6.7
1939 AND EARLIER	2,689	90.5
TOTAL	2,970	100.0

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C.4 - 1960, 1970 CENSUS: HOUSING UNITS BY OWNER AND RENTER			
	1960	1970	Net Change 1960-1970
Total Housing Units	3433	2965	- 468
Owner Occupied	845	713	- 132
Renter Occupied	2366	1973	- 393
Vacancy Rate	6.6%	9.5%	+ 43.9%

C.5 - 1970 CENSUS: MEDIAN VALUE OR RENT OF OCCUPIED UNITS	
STATUS	1970
Median Value	$9,500
Median Rent	$49

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C.6 - 1960, 1970 CENSUS: RENTER-OCCUPIED AS A PERCENTAGE OF NEIGHBORHOOD'S RENTED UNITS

	1960		1970	
	#	%	#	%
Total - Rented Units	2326	100.0	1985	100.0
Less Than $40	36	1.5	26	1.3
$40 to $59	319	13.7	279	14.1
$60 to $79	962	41.4	615	31.0
$80 to $99	821	35.3	591	29.8
$100 to $149	174	7.5	430	21.6
$150 and Over	14	6.0	4	0.2
No Cash Rents	-	-	40	2.0
Median Rent	$57	-	$82	-

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C. 7 - 1970 CENSUS: VALUE OF OWNER OCCUPIED HOUSING BY HEAD OF HOUSEHOLD

SINGLE FAMILY	TOTAL OWNER OCCUPIED UNITS	
	#	%
Less Than $5,000	12	7.3
$5,000 - $7,499	48	29.1
$7,500 - $9,999	37	22.4
$10,000 - $14,999	45	27.3
$15,000 - $19,999	14	8.5
$20,000 - $24,999	7	4.2
$25,000 - $34,999	2	1.2
$35,000 - $49,999	0	.0
$50,000 and over	0	.0
TOTAL	165	100.0

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C.8 - 1960, 1970 CENSUS: DENSITY OF RESIDENCE WITHIN HOUSING UNIT

	1960		1970	
	#	%	#	%
TOTAL NUMBER OF OCCUPIED UNITS	3211	100.0	2686	100.0
ROOMS WITH 1.00 PERSONS OR LESS	2925	91.1	2500	93.1
ROOMS WITH 1.01 PERSONS OR MORE	286	8.9	186	6.9
MEDIAN PERSONS PER OCCUPIED UNIT	2.5	-	2.2	-

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C. 9 - 1970 CENSUS: NUMBER OF AUTOMOBILES AVAILABLE BY HOUSEHOLD

Automobiles	# Households
One	1327
Two	315
Three or More	21
None	994

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C. 10 1975 DISTRIBUTION OF LAND USE BY NEIGHBORHOOD

LAND USE CATEGORY	LAND AREA IN SQ. FT.	% OF TOTAL AREA
Undeveloped Land and Water Areas	1,437,373	11.4
Residential Uses (Total)	4,462,059	35.5
One Family	581,784	4.6
Two Family	1,169,986	9.3
Three Family	1,969,639	15.7
Multi-Family	524,638	4.2
Other	216,012	1.7
Manufacturing	1,598,117	12.7
Transportation, Communication and Utilities	2,416,873	19.2
Trade (Total)	603,755	4.8
Wholesale	173,270	1.4
Retail	430,485	3.4
General Services	865,079	6.9
Institutional and Governmental Services (Total)	831,069	6.6
Education (Nursery, Primary and Secondary)	152,882	1.2
Educational Services (other)	82,198	.7
Religious Services	103,047	.8
Medical and Health Services	32,909	.3
Government	449,066	3.6
Other (Service Organizations, Cemeteries, etc.)	10,967	.1
Cultural, Entertainment, and Recreation Services	345,292	2.7
Resource Production and Extraction	--	--
Totals	12,559,617	100.0

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D. 1 - 1966-1974: NET EFFECT OF RESIDENT BIRTHS AND DEATHS

YEAR	BIRTHS	% OF CITY BIRTHS	DEATHS	% OF CITY DEATHS	NET EFFECT
1966	178	5.4	159	6.0	+19
1967	164	5.2	129	4.8	+35
1968	153	4.9	129	4.9	+24
1969	133	4.3	124	5.1	+9
1970	139	4.4	123	5.0	+16
1971	142	4.9	135	5.7	+7
1972	133	5.3	108	4.7	+25
1973	100	4.2	125	5.3	-25
1974	116	5.5	106	5.0	+10
TOTALS	1258	-	1138	-	+120
5 YR. AVERAGE 1970-74	126	4.9	119.4	5.1	+6.6

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D.2 - 1970-1974: SELECTED HEALTH INDICES: MORTALITY

	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	5 YEAR AVERAGE
aths by Cause						
alignant Neoplasms	20	34	25	30	16	25.0
Lung	5	6	2	7	2	4.4
Breast	2	2	3	4	-	2.2
Cervix	-	1	-	-	-	0.2
Colon & Rectum	3	7	5	4	6	5.0
iabetes Mellitus	3	3	4	5	4	3.8
adiovascular Disease	78	74	59	53	52	63.2
Heart Disease (All Forms)	60	60	48	43	46	51.4
Myocardial Infarction	21	23	31	21	23	23.8
Chronic Ischemic Heart Dis.	26	26	11	16	19	19.6
Cerebrovascular Disease	14	8	6	6	5	7.8
espiratory Disease	5	8	7	12	9	8.2
Pneumonia/Influenza	2	4	6	7	5	4.8
Emphysema	2	3	1	-	1	1.4
astrointestinal Disease	2	9	2	4	8	5.0
Cirrhosis of the Liver	2	5	2	2	7	3.6
xternal Causes	10	2	7	8	5	6.4
Motor Vehicle Accidents	2	1	-	3	2	1.6

al Deaths	123	135	108	125	106	119.4
ean Age at Death	66.8	71.1	66.9	68.1	66.4	67.8
nfant Deaths	2	1	4	2	4	2.6
umber Age 65 and Over	87	105	72	87	69	84.0

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D.3 - 1970-1974: SELECTED HEALTH INDICIES: NATALITY

INDICIES	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	Five Year Average
LIVE BIRTHS	139	142	133	100	116	126.0
NEWBORNS WEIGHING BELOW 2500 GRAMS (5½ LBS.)	10	19	11	8	7	11.0
BIRTHS TO MOTHERS UNDER AGE 20	32	27	37	22	25	28.6
BIRTHS TO MOTHERS AGE 35 AND OVER	7	10	7	1	3	5.6
BIRTHS OF PARITY GREATER THAN 3	25	24	15	11	5	16.0

D.4 - 1977: ADMISSIONS AND RATE/THOUSAND TO PROVIDENCE MENTAL HEALTH CENTER

ADMISSIONS	RATE/THOUSAND	% OF NEIGHBORHOOD POPULATION
89	13.0	1.3

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E. 1 - 1972, 1973: FAMILY COURT HEARINGS OTHER THAN WAYWARD/DELINQUENT (MOTOR VEHICLE VIOLATIONS EXCLUDED), MALE AND FEMALE CHILDREN

ALE HILDREN	1973 # CASES	1973 % CITY CASES	1972 # CASES	1972 % CITY CASES
EW	17	7.1	9	3.2
EPEATERS	16	5.0	12	4.4
IOLATORS OF ROBATION	17	6.2	16	4.6

EMALE HILDREN	1973 # CASES	1973 % CITY CASES	1972 # CASES	1972 % CITY CASES
EW	3	3.7	8	8.4
EPEATERS	-	-	3	6.9
IOLATORS OF ROBATION	2	5.5	-	-

OTAL HILDREN	1973 # CASES	1973 % CITY CASES	1972 # CASES	1972 % CITY CASES
EW	20	6.3	17	4.6
EPEATERS	16	4.4	15	4.8
IOLATORS OF ROBATION	19	6.1	16	4.3

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E.2 1972, 1973: NON-JUDICIAL MOTOR VEHICLE VIOLATIONS ONLY

ALE HILDREN	1973 # CASES	% CITY CASES	1972 # CASES	% CITY
EW	1	1.2	1	1.2
EPEATERS	-	-	-	-
IOLATORS OF ROBATION	-	-	-	-

EMALE HILDREN	1973 # CASES	% CITY CASES	1972 # CASES	% CITY
EW	1	8.3	-	-
EPEATERS	-	-	-	-
IOLATORS OF ROBATION	-	-	-	-

OTAL HILDREN	1973 # CASES	% CITY CASES	1972 # CASES	% CITY
EW	2	2.2	1	1.1
EPEATERS	-	-	-	-
IOLATORS OF ROBATION	-	-	-	-

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E.4 - 1972, 1973: NON-JUDICIAL - OTHER THAN WAYWARD/DELINQUENT (MOTOR VEHICLE VIOLATIONS EXCLUDED)

	1973		1972	
ALE HILDREN	# CASES	% CITY CASES	# CASES	% CITY CASES
EW	2	5.4	-	-
EPEATERS	-	-	1	25.0
IOLATORS OF ROBATION	1	25.0	-	-

	1973		1972	
EMALE HILDREN	# CASES	% CITY CASES	# CASES	% CITY CASES
EW	-	-	-	-
EPEATERS	-	-	-	-
IOLATORS OF ROBATION	-	-	-	-

	1973		1972	
OTAL HILDREN	# CASES	% CITY CASES	# CASES	% CITY CASES
EW	2	3.4	-	-
EPEATERS	-	-	1	25.0
IOLATORS OF ROBATION	1	20.0	-	-

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E. 4 - 1972, 1973: HEARINGS - MOTOR VEHICLE VIOLATIONS ONLY

	1973		1972	
ALE HILDREN	# CASES	% CITY CASES	# CASES	% CITY CASES
EW	3	4.6	2	2.8
EPEATERS	1	1.6	-	-
IOLATORS OF ROBATION	2	5.7	2	5.5

	1973		1972	
EMALE HILDREN	# CASES	% CITY CASES	# CASES	% CITY CASES
EW	-	-	-	-
EPEATERS	-	-	-	-
IOLATORS OF ROBATION	-	-	-	-

	1973		1972	
OTAL HILDREN	# CASES	% CITY CASES	# CASES	% CITY CASES
EW	3	4.1	2	2.4
EPEATERS	1	1.6	-	-
IOLATORS OF ROBATION	2	5.7	2	5.1

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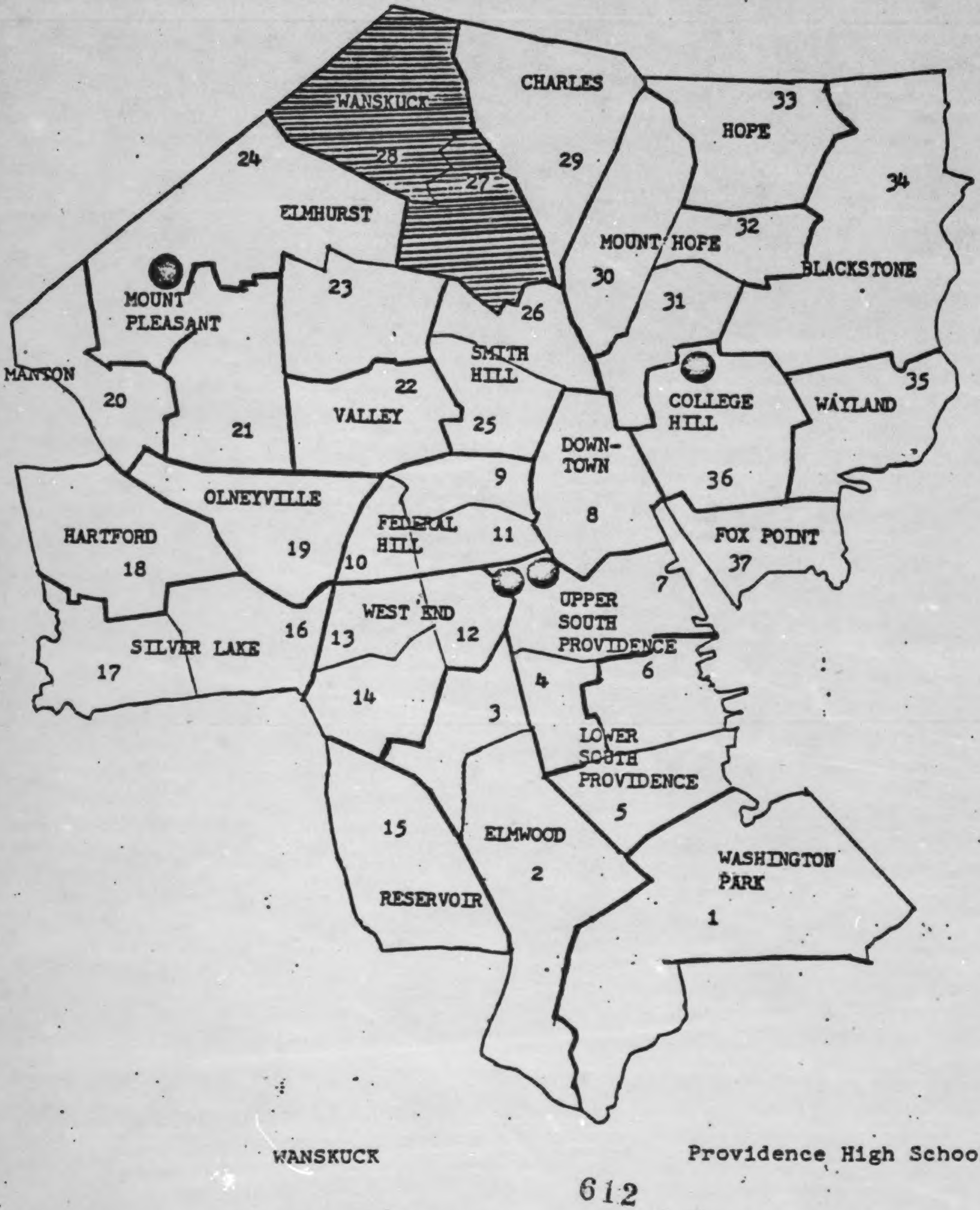
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NEIGHBORHOOD PROFILES

Overview

CPAD Urban Field Center, RICES, University of Rhode Island, provides planning assistance to community groups and city and state agencies in Rhode Island. In The fall of 1977, the Providence School Department contracted with the Center for planning and management for collaboration on the Neutral Site Planning Project, funded by an Emergency School Aid Act (ESAA) grant from the U. S. Office of Education.

The Emergency School Aid Act (ESAA) makes funds available to local education agencies who are involved in efforts to eliminate, reduce, or prevent minority group isolation. Specifically, neutral site planning grants are used to plan for schools that are located so as to be accessible to substantial numbers of students from different racial and ethnic backgrounds. The grants also are used to develop either special curriculum or teaching methodologies not generally offered to students of the same age or grade level in the local educational agency. For the calendar year 1977-78, neutral site planning grants were awarded to four public school systems in the United States by the Office of Education.

The fundamental concept in the location of a neutral school is the assumption that a school's site is one of the significant factors in its success. Location is defined in relation to the racial identity of the neighborhood and area in which the school is placed. Research and experience have demonstrated that schools in racially identifiable communities often have difficulty in enrolling students of the other racial identities. For minority student isolation to be reduced, eliminated or prevented, a school system must identify the location of minority and non-minority students in the district, and select a school site that is accessible to both groups.

This federal grant enabled the Providence School Department and the University of Rhode Island to develop a planning process to meet ESAA's mandate. In particular, the Neutral Site Planning Staff of the University of Rhode Island had responsibility for two objectives of this planning process:

- To conduct studies and surveys to determine the location of a Neutral Site School and;
- To provide technical planning assistance to the Providence School Department in the development of special curriculum options.

The major activities undertaken in order to meet the first objectives were:

- To inventory the present school sites and assess them through a series of significant criteria;
- To identify the location of potential students of the neutral site schools;
- To determine the accessibility of the school sites to the neighborhoods in which minority and non-minority students reside and;
- To describe the characteristics of Providence neighborhoods in which minority and non-minority students reside.

The information developed to meet the first three major activities are found in The Final Report: Volume I: The Neutral Site Plan. The supporting documentation for the fourth activity is the focus of this series of neighborhood profiles.

What are Neighborhood Profiles?

Neighborhood profiles are a series of tables and charts which include statistical information on twenty-four individual neighborhoods in Providence. The information includes demographic, economic, housing, and social service and crime data. Educational demographic characteristics and transportation access for potential neutral site magnet students are presented, although discussed in greater depth in Volume I. Specific indicators from each data category were selected on the basis of an assessment of the perceived needs for educational programming by Rhode Island planners, educators, and community groups; availability of secondary data sources; and experience with data collection and analysis activities in Rhode Island. The listing of indicators is extensive, and includes such data as population by race and Spanish language; median school years completed; employment status; density of residence within housing unit; distribution of land use; selected health indices; and crime data. Each series of tables and charts is introduced by a summary of key indicators and a map of the neighborhood.

There are twenty-four neighborhoods for which profiles have been prepared. The neighborhood designations are modifications of the Providence Department of Planning and Urban Development (PUD) boundaries. Where modifications occur, it is because the Neutral Site Planning Project staff collected secondary data by census tract and defined neighborhoods accordingly. Table One lists the neighborhoods included in this series.

The neighborhood profiles were developed in order to provide the educational community with an understanding of the student's environment "outside the classroom". It is only with planning from a neighborhood or city-wide perspective that responsive programs and schools can be

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The Wanskuck neighborhood, composed of census tracts 27 and 28, is located in the northern area of the City of Providence. Development in this area neighborhood got off to a rather late start with practically no building taking place before the middle of the nineteenth century when industrial development began along West River. Although there are no records of any settlement in this area in the 17th or 18th centuries, there most likely were a few farms.

Today, Wanskuck still has a relatively high proportion of undeveloped land and water areas (14.4%) with manufacturing playing a minor role. This is primarily a suburban residential area of modest homes, a small commercial area, and a few institutional structures.

In 1970, the population of Wanskuck was 10,467 with a racial and ethnic composition of 96.3% White, 11.5% Black and 0.6% Spanish speaking. Between the years of 1960-1970, there was a net decrease of 1436 whites (13.4%) coupled with an increase of 774 (187.0%) non-whites. The total foreign stock population for Wanskuck numbered 4091, with four most frequent countries of origin being Italy (63.2%), United Kingdom (7.0%), Ireland (5.4%), U.S.S.R. (3.3%). English is the predominantly spoken language.

Between the years 1960 and 1970 the median income for all families rose from $4,681.00 to $8,102.00, an increase of 73.1%. In 1970, the median income for all unrelated individuals was $2,409.00. In 1960, 2552 (94.3%) of Wanskuck's male population fourteen years and older was employed in the civilian labor force as opposed to 1501 (93.8%) of the female population. By 1970 the percentage of males sixteen years and older had increased to 97.5% (2400) and 94.5% (1830) for the female population. The unemployment rates for 1960 and 1970 were 5.9% and 3.9% respectively.

With an unemployment rate of 3.9% in Wanskuck in 1970, 117 (5.5%) of the neighborhood's families were receiving public assistance as were 317 (45.0%) of all unrelated individuals. Between the years 1972 and 1977, the number of AFDC recipients changed from 394 to 118 which corresponds to 7.3% and 1.9% of the number of cases for the City of Providence.

The general housing indicators for Wanskuck have shown variation between 1960 and 1970. The number of owner occupied units was 1183 in 1960 and 1359 in 1970. During this same timespan, the number of renter occupied units changed from 2015 to 2016 with a vacancy rate increase from 2.3% to 6.5%. In 1970, the median value of occupied units was $15,400.00, and the median rent was $80.00. In 1975, the number of units in need of substantial rehabilitation in Wanskuck totalled 1409

(40.0%). Between 1960 and 1970, the total number of rented units increased from 1963 to 1999 with change in rent from $61.00 to $80.00. In 1970 the breakdown of the age of housing as a percentage of the number of housing units appeared as follows: 0.7% built between 1969 and 1970; 3.2% 1965 to 1968; 4.4% 1960 to 1964; 17.6% 1950 to 1959; 16.5% 1940 to 1949; and 57.6% constructed prior to 1939. Also in 1970 there were 1,756 households with one automobile, 733 with two and 118 with three or more. Seven hundred seventy-three households were listed as having none at all. The median years of education completed in 1970 by persons twenty-five years and older was 10.2 for the total population.

Currently there are 400 eighth through eleventh graders in Wanskuck which is a part of the Mount Pleasant/Hope High School feeder pattern. Of these 400 students, there are 275 (70.2%) Whites, 102 (24.3%) Blacks and 23 (5.4%) Portuguese and other. With an enrollment of 400, Wanskuck ranks 3rd in total high school student enrollment. At the present time, there are no bus routes directly to Central/Classical, 2 to Hope and 2 to Mount Pleasant.

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A.1 - 1960, 1975: TOTAL POPULATION BY 5 YEAR INTERVALS				
POPULATION	YEAR			
	1960	1965	1970	1975
NUMBER	11,129	10,768	10,467	9,595
% OF TOTAL POPULATION OF PROVIDENCE	5.6	6.0	5.8	5.8

A.2 - 1960, 1970: POPULATION BY WHITE AND NON-WHITE		
POPULATION	YEAR	
	1960	1970
WHITE	10,349	9,279
NON-WHITE	780	1,188

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A.3 - 1960, 1970 CENSUS: POPULATION BY RACE AND SPANISH LANGUAGE

YEAR	TOTAL POPULATION	WHITE		NON-WHITE		BLACK		SPANISH LANGUAGE	
		#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%
1960	11129	10715	96.3	414	3.7	377	3.4	N/A	N/A
1970	10467	9279	88.7	1188	11.3	1177	11.2	54	0.5
1960-1970 Increase (+) Decrease (-)		-1436	-13.4	+774	+187.0	+800	+212.2	N/A	N/A
% Change in Proportional Distribution		-7.6		+7.6		+7.8		N/A	

A.4 - 1970 CENSUS: FERTILITY RATIO BY POPULATION

Total Population	110.6

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A.5 - 1970 CENSUS: PERSONS 25 YEARS OF AGE AND OVER BY RACE AND YEARS OF SCHOOL COMPLETED

LEVEL AND YEARS OF SCHOOL COMPLETED	TOTAL POPULATION		WHITE		BLACK		OTHER	
	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%
NO SCHOOL YEAR COMPLETED	248	4.4	248	4.7	-	-	-	-
ELEMENTARY: 1-4 YEARS	236	4.1	204	3.9	32	7.9	-	-
5-7 YEARS	792	13.9	792	15.0	-	-	-	-
8 YEARS	836	14.7	764	14.5	67	16.5	5	45.5
HIGH SCHOOL: 1-3 YEARS	1834	32.2	1659	31.4	175	43.0	-	-
4 YEARS	1328	23.3	1210	22.9	118	29.0	-	-
COLLEGE: 1-3 YEARS	213	3.7	203	3.8	10	2.5	-	-
4 YEARS OR MORE	207	3.6	196	3.7	5	1.2	6	54.5
TOTAL	5694		5276	100.0	407	100.0	11	100.0

A.6 - 1970 CENSUS: MEDIAN SCHOOL YEARS COMPLETED
TOTAL POPULATION
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A.7 - 1970 CENSUS: NATIVITY AND PARENTAGE

NATIVITY	TOTAL POPULATION	
	#	%
NATIVE OF NATIVE PARENT	6365	60.9
FOREIGN STOCK	4091	39.1
TOTAL	10456	100.0

A.8 - 1970 CENSUS: MOST FREQUENT COUNTRY OF ORIGIN OF FOREIGN STOCK

COUNTRY OF ORIGIN	# OF PERSONS	% FOREIGN STOCK POPULATION
ITALY	2585	63.2
UNITED KINGDOM	285	7.0
USSR	136	3.3
CANADA	118	2.9

A.9 - 1970 CENSUS: SPANISH POPULATION INDICATORS

INDICATORS	# OF PERSONS	% OF TOTAL POPULATION
SPANISH LANGUAGE	54	0.5

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B.1 - 1970 CENSUS: NUMBER OF EMPLOYED PERSONS 16 YEARS OLD AND OVER BY OCCUPATION

	1960[1]		1970							
OCCUPATION	TOTAL PERSONS EMPLOYED		TOTAL PERSONS EMPLOYED		WHITE		BLACK		SPANISH	
	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%
Professional, Technical and Kindred Workers	294	7.8	428	10.1	382	9.7	46	17.2	4	40.0
Managers and Administrators Except Farm	176	4.6	120	2.8	120	3.0	-	-	-	-
Sales Workers	204	5.4	201	4.7	201	5.1	-	-	-	-
Clerical and Kindred Workers	623	16.5	839	19.8	812	20.5	22	8.2	-	-
Craftsmen, Foremen and Kindred Workers	645	17.0	628	14.8	565	14.3	63	23.5	-	-
Operatives, Except Transport	1239	37.2	978	23.1	942	23.8	36	13.4	-	-
Transport Equipment Operatives	30	0.8	183	4.3	169	4.3	14	5.2	-	-
Laborers, Except Farm	188	5.0	174	4.1	166	4.2	8	3.0	-	-
Farmers and Farm Managers Farm Laborers and Foremen	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Service Workers, Except Private Household	378	10.0	665	15.7	586	14.8	73	27.2	6	60.0
Private Household Workers	9	0.2	14	0.3	8	0.2	6	2.2	-	-
TOTAL	3786	100.0	4230	100.0	3951		268		10	100.0

[1] 1960 data listed for persons 14 years old and over.

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B.2 - 1960 CENSUS: EMPLOYMENT STATUS, MALES 14 YEARS AND OVER (CIVILIAN LABOR FORCE)

STATUS	TOTAL	
	#	%
EMPLOYED	2552	94.3
UNEMPLOYED	153	5.7

B.3 - 1960 CENSUS: EMPLOYMENT STATUS, FEMALES 14 YEARS AND OVER (CIVILIAN LABOR FORCE)

STATUS	TOTAL	
	#	%
EMPLOYED	1501	93.8
UNEMPLOYED	100	6.2

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B.4 - 1970 CENSUS: EMPLOYMENT STATUS BY RACE OF MALES 16 YEARS AND OVER (CIVILIAN LABOR FORCE)

STATUS	POPULATION		WHITE		BLACK	
	#	%	#	%	#	%
EMPLOYED	2400	97.5	2285	97.6	109	94.8
UNEMPLOYED	62	2.5	56	2.4	6	5.2
TOTAL	2462	100.0	2341	100.0	115	100.0

B.5 - 1970 CENSUS: EMPLOYMENT STATUS BY RACE OF FEMALES 16 YEARS AND OVER (CIVILIAN LABOR FORCE)

STATUS	POPULATION		WHITE		BLACK	
	#	%	#	%	#	%
EMPLOYED	1830	94.5	1666	94.3	159	93.0
UNEMPLOYED	107	5.5	101	5.7	12	7.0
TOTAL	1937	100.0	1767	100.0	171	100.0

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B.6 - 1960, 1970 CENSUS: MEDIAN INCOME

6.1 1960 MEDIAN INCOME [1]

YEAR	ALL FAMILIES AND UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS
1960	$4388

6.2 1970 MEDIAN INCOME

YEAR	ALL FAMILIES	ALL UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS
1970	$16,204	$4,818

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1) 1960 Median Income Data is not disaggregated by families and unrelated individuals.

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B.7 - 1970 CENSUS: PERSONS BELOW POVERTY LEVEL		
TOTAL POPULATION		
# PERSONS	% OF NEIGHBORHOOD POPULATION	% OF TOTAL POPULATION OF PROVIDENCE BELOW POVERTY LEVEL
2190	20.9	6.8

B.8 - 1970 CENSUS: NUMBER OF RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 IN FAMILIES BELOW POVERTY LEVEL BY RACE								
TOTAL POPULATION			WHITE		BLACK		OTHER	
PERSONS	% OF NEIGHBORHOOD POPULATION BELOW 18 YEARS	% OF RELATED CHILDREN IN PROVIDENCE UNDER 18 YEARS, BELOW POVERTY LEVEL	#	%	#	%	#	%
1100	31.1	9.9	604	54.9	496	45.1	-	-

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B.9 - 1972-1977: DECEMBER AFDC CASES

YEAR	NUMBER OF CASES	% OF CASES IN PROVIDENCE
1972	394	7.3
1973	387	7.2
1974	361	6.4
1975	284	5.0
1976	278	4.8
1977	118	1.9

B. 10 - 1970 CENSUS: FAMILIES RECEIVING PUBLIC ASSISTANCE

# FAMILIES RECEIVING PUBLIC ASSISTANCE	% OF ALL FAMILIES IN NEIGHBORHOOD	% OF FAMILIES IN PROVIDENCE RECEIVING PUBLIC ASSISTANCE
117	5.5	4.2

B.11 - 1970 CENSUS: UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS RECEIVING PUBLIC ASSISTANCE

# PERSONS	% OF UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS IN NEIGHBORHOOD	% OF TOTAL UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS RECEIVING PUBLIC ASSISTANCE IN PROVIDENCE
	45.0	1.7

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C.1 - 1975: TOTAL HOUSING, VACANCY RATE, AND UNITS IN NEED OF SUBSTANTIAL REHABILITATION

Characteristics	Number
Total Housing Units	3523
Vacancy Rate	2%
% of Units in Need of Substantial Rehabilitation *	40.0

* The need for "substantial rehabilitation" was determined by the Department of Planning and Urban Development based on a survey which considered structural factors including: Foundation, Exterior Shell, Porches and Stairs, Gutters and Down Spouts, Doors and Windows, Roof and Chimney.

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C.2 - 1970 CENSUS: UNITS IN STRUCTURE AS A PERCENTAGE OF NEIGHBORHOOD'S HOUSING STRUCTURES		
	1970	
NUMBER OF UNITS IN STRUCTURE	#	%
1 (INCLUDES MOBILE HOME/ TRAILER)	924	25.6
2	1,014	28.1
3 AND 4	945	26.2
5 TO 49	588	16.3
50 AND OVER	142	3.9
TOTAL YEAR-ROUND HOUSING UNITS	3,613	100.0

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C.3 - 1970 CENSUS: AGE OF NEIGHBORHOOD HOUSING AS A PERCENTAGE OF TOTAL NEIGHBORHOOD HOUSING UNITS

AGE OF HOUSING	#	%
1969 TO MARCH 1970	25	0.7
1965 TO 1968	115	3.2
1960 TO 1964	160	4.4
1950 TO 1959	636	17.6
1940 TO 1949	597	16.5
1939 AND EARLIER	2,080	57.6
TOTAL	3,613	100.0

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C.4 - 1960, 1970 CENSUS: HOUSING UNITS BY OWNER AND RENTER

	1960	1970	Net Change 1960-1970
Total Housing Units	3322	3607	+ 285
Owner Occupied	1183	1359	+ 176
Renter Occupied	2015	2016	+ 1
Vacancy Rate	2.3%	6.5%	+ 182.6%

C.5 - 1970 CENSUS: MEDIAN VALUE OR RENT OF OCCUPIED UNITS

STATUS	1970
Median Value	$15,400
Median Rent	$61

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C.6 - 1960, 1970 CENSUS: RENTER-OCCUPIED AS A PERCENTAGE OF NEIGHBORHOOD'S RENTED UNITS

	1960		1970	
	#	%	#	%
Total - Rented Units	1963	100.0	1999	100.0
Less Than $40	16	0.8	149	7.4
$40 to $59	352	17.9	336	16.8
$60 to $79	661	33.7	377	18.8
$80 to $99	748	38.1	639	31.9
$100 to $149	165	8.4	424	21.2
$150 and Over	21	1.1	22	1.1
No Cash Rents	-	-	52	2.6
Median Rent	$61	-	$80	-

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C. 7 - 1970 CENSUS: VALUE OF OWNER OCCUPIED HOUSING BY HEAD OF HOUSEHOLD

	TOTAL OWNER OCCUPIED UNITS	
SINGLE FAMILY	#	%
Less Than $5,000	3	.4
$5,000 - $7,499	26	3.3
$7,500 - $9,999	63	7.9
$10,000 - $14,999	260	32.7
$15,000 - $19,999	311	39.1
$20,000 - $24,999	98	12.3
$25,000 - $34,999	24	3.0
$35,000 - $49,999	8	1.0
$50,000 and over	2	.3
TOTAL	795	100.0

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C.8 - 1960, 1970 CENSUS: DENSITY OF RESIDENCE WITHIN HOUSING UNIT

	1960		1970	
	#	%	#	%
TOTAL NUMBER OF OCCUPIED UNITS	3198	100.0	3375	100.0
ROOMS WITH 1.00 PERSONS OR LESS	2827	88.4	3084	91.4
ROOMS WITH 1.01 PERSONS OR MORE	371	11.6	291	8.6
MEDIAN PERSONS PER OCCUPIED UNIT	3.2	-	2.6	-

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C. 9 - 1970 CENSUS:	NUMBER OF AUTOMOBILES AVAILABLE BY HOUSEHOLD
Automobiles	# Households
One	1756
Two	733
Three or More	118
None	773

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C. 10 1975 DISTRIBUTION OF LAND USE BY NEIGHBORHOOD

LAND USE CATEGORY	LAND AREA IN SQ. FT.	% OF TOTAL AREA
Undeveloped Land and Water Areas	3,496,211	14.4
Residential Uses (Total)	12,485,886	51.3
One Family	5,511,453	22.6
Two Family	2,173,819	8.9
Three Family	929,162	3.8
Multi-Family	2,078,347	8.5
Other	1,793,105	7.4
Manufacturing	730,078	3.0
Transportation, Communication and Utilities	1,058,297	4.3
Trade (Total)	679,061	2.8
Wholesale	123,042	.5
Retail	556,019	2.3
General Services	1,259,110	5.2
Institutional and Governmental Services (Total)	2,285,090	9.4
Education (Nursery, Primary and Secondary)	278,212	1.1
Educational Services (other)	1,103,982	4.5
Religious Services	89,140	.4
Medical and Health Services	--	--
Government	39,328	.2
Other (Service Organizations, Cemeteries, etc.)	774,428	3.2
Cultural, Entertainment, and Recreation Services	2,321,866	9.5
Resource Production and Extraction	26,456	.1
Totals	24,342,055	100.0

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D. 1 - 1966-1974: NET EFFECT OF RESIDENT BIRTHS AND DEATHS

YEAR	BIRTHS	% OF CITY BIRTHS	DEATHS	% OF CITY DEATHS	NET EFFECT
1966	187	5.7	128	4.8	+59
1967	192	6.1	98	3.7	+94
1968	217	7.0	101	3.8	+116
1969	227	7.3	114	4.7	+113
1970	226	7.2	100	4.1	+126
1971	158	5.5	104	4.4	+54
1972	160	6.4	104	4.6	+56
1973	141	5.9	108	4.6	+33
1974	122	5.7	92	4.3	+30
TOTALS	1630	-	949	-	+681
5 YR. AVERAGE 1970-74	161.4	6.4	101.6	4.4	+59.8

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.D.2 - 1970-1974: SELECTED HEALTH INDICES: MORTALITY

	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	5 YEAR AVERAGE
ths by Cause						
alignant Neoplasms	18	17	17	19	22	18.6
Lung	3	4	4	4	2	3.4
Breast	2	3	1	1	3	2.0
Cervix	-	-	-	-	-	-
Colon & Rectum	2	1	3	4	3	2.6
iabetes Mellitus	5	2	1	5	1	2.8
adiovascular Disease	50	54	60	59	55	55.6
Heart Disease (All Forms)	43	37	49	45	44	43.6
Myocardial Infarction	20	14	27	26	15	20.4
Chronic Ischemic Heart Dis.	15	16	16	15	24	17.2
Cerebrovascular Disease	4	9	5	12	9	7.8
espiratory Disease	5	9	6	8	4	6.4
Pneumonia/Influenza	3	4	2	5	1	3.0
Emphysema	-	2	2	-	-	0.8
astrointestinal Disease	4	6	9	5	2	5.2
Cirrhosis of the Liver	1	3	5	3	1	2.6
ternal Causes	4	10	8	4	3	5.8
Motor Vehicle Accidents	1	1	2	1	-	1.0

l Deaths	100	104	104	108	92	101.6
an Age at Death	63.9	66.1	68.3	67.2	66.0	66.3
fant Deaths	8	1	1	6	3	3.8
mber Age 65 and Over	64	67	71	66	61	65.8

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D.3 - 1970-1974: SELECTED HEALTH INDICIES: NATALITY

INDICIES	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	Five Year Average
LIVE BIRTHS	226	158	160	141	122	161.4
NEWBORNS WEIGHING BELOW 2500 GRAMS (5½ LBS.)	39	11	21	11	15	19.4
BIRTHS TO MOTHERS UNDER AGE 20	37	22	32	29	23	28.6
BIRTHS TO MOTHERS AGE 35 AND OVER	17	10	6	4	10	9.4
BIRTHS OF PARITY GREATER THAN 3	44	36	23	23	19	29.0

D.4 - 1977: ADMISSIONS AND RATE/THOUSAND TO PROVIDENCE MENTAL HEALTH CENTER

ADMISSIONS	RATE/THOUSAND	% OF NEIGHBORHOOD POPULATION
65	6.5	0.6

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E.1 - 1972, 1973: FAMILY COURT HEARINGS OTHER THAN WAYWARD/DELINQUENT (MOTOR VEHICLE VIOLATIONS EXCLUDED), MALE AND FEMALE CHILDREN

MALE CHILDREN	1973 # CASES	1973 % CITY CASES	1972 # CASES	1972 % CITY CASES
NEW	18	7.5	17	6.1
REPEATERS	26	8.1	24	8.8
VIOLATORS OF PROBATION	17	6.2	20	5.8

FEMALE CHILDREN	1973 # CASES	1973 % CITY CASES	1972 # CASES	1972 % CITY CASES
NEW	11	13.7	6	6.3
REPEATERS	1	2.1	2	4.6
VIOLATORS OF PROBATION	8	22.2	1	4.2

TOTAL CHILDREN	1973 # CASES	1973 % CITY CASES	1972 # CASES	1972 % CITY CASES
NEW	29	9.1	23	6.2
REPEATERS	27	8.5	26	8.3
VIOLATORS OF PROBATION	25	8.0	21	5.7

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E.2 - 1972, 1973: NON-JUDICIAL MOTOR VEHICLE VIOLATIONS ONLY

	1973		1972	
MALE CHILDREN	# CASES	% CITY CASES	# CASES	% CITY CASES
NEW	8	10.2	6	7.5
REPEATERS	1	6.6	-	-
VIOLATORS OF PROBATION	-	-	-	-

	1973		1972	
FEMALE CHILDREN	# CASES	% CITY CASES	# CASES	% CITY CASES
NEW	-	-	1	9.1
REPEATERS	-	-	-	-
VIOLATORS OF PROBATION	-	-	-	-

	1973		1972	
TOTAL CHILDREN	# CASES	% CITY CASES	# CASES	% CITY CASES
NEW	8	8.8	7	7.7
REPEATERS	1	6.2	-	-
VIOLATORS OF PROBATION	-	-	-	-

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E.3 - 1972, 1973: NON-JUDICIAL - OTHER THAN WAYWARD/DELINQUENT (MOTOR VEHICLE VIOLATIONS EXCLUDED)

	1973		1972	
ALE HILDREN	# CASES	% CITY CASES	# CASES	% CITY CASES
EW	2	5.4	4	18.1
EPEATERS	1	6.6	-	-
IOLATORS OF OBATION	1	25.0	-	-

	1973		1972	
EMALE HILDREN	# CASES	% CITY CASES	# CASES	% CITY CASES
EW	-	-	-	-
EPEATERS	-	-	-	-
IOLATORS OF ROBATION	-	-	-	-

	1973		1972	
OTAL HILDREN	# CASES	% CITY CASES	# CASES	% CITY CASES
EW	2	3.3	4	12.1
EPEATERS	1	5.9	-	-
IOLATORS OF ROBATION	1	20.0	-	-

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E.4 - 1972, 1973: HEARINGS - MOTOR VEHICLE VIOLATIONS ONLY

	1973		1972	
ALE HILDREN	# CASES	% CITY CASES	# CASES	% CITY CASES
EW	8	12.3	4	5.7
EPEATERS	9	15.2	5	9.8
IOLATORS OF ROBATION	4	11.4	2	5.5

	1973		1972	
EMALE HILDREN	# CASES	% CITY CASES	# CASES	% CITY CASES
EW	-	-	-	-
EPEATERS	-	-	-	-
IOLATORS OF ROBATION	-	-	-	-

	1973		1972	
OTAL HILDREN	# CASES	% CITY CASES	# CASES	% CITY CASES
EW	8	11.1	4	4.8
EPEATERS	9	14.5	5	9.4
IOLATORS OF ROBATION	4	11.4	2	5.1

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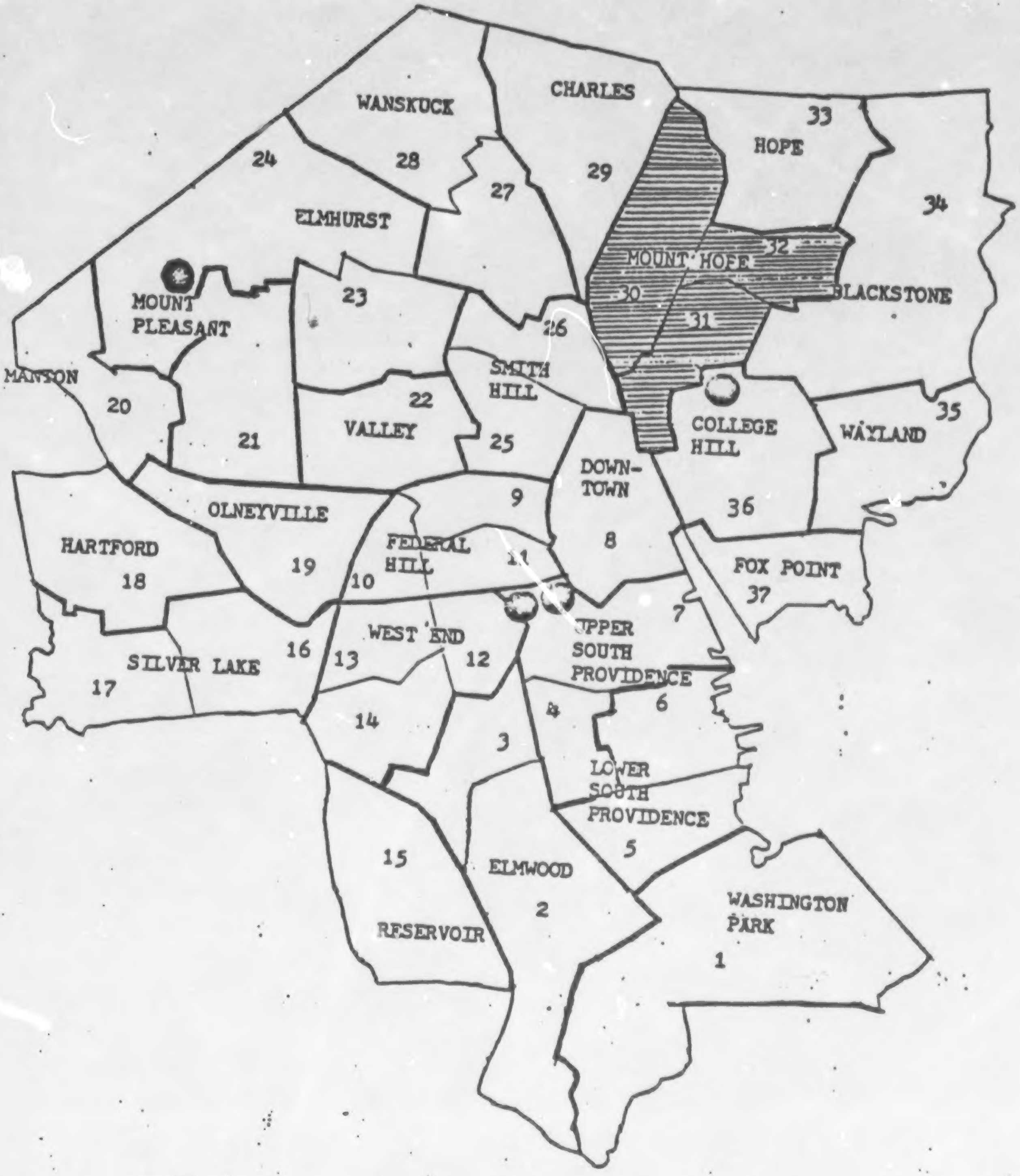
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The Mount Hope neighborhood, composed of census tracts 30, 31, and 32 is located in the northeastern section of the City of Providence. This neighborhood contains a wide expanse of area and land use types.

The primary thoroughfare in Mount Hope is North Main Street, a major arterial travelling north-south which divides the neighborhood roughly in half. Other important north-south streets, Camp Street, halfway up College Hill, and Hope Street on the Crest, have mixed commercial and residential uses. The remainder of this area is built along cross streets running uphill from North Main Street to Hope Street, and is predominantly residential.

In 1700, North Burial Ground was set off from the town's common land to serve as the first public cemetery in Providence. Today this historic landmark takes-up almost the entire northern side of the Blackstone Canal, the site of industrial activity since the seventeenth century. Fire and demolition have largely decreased activity here in recent years, with the area very much in a site of flux. Rehabilitation of the Canal is currently underway in an effort to make the area more attractive.

The past decade has also seen renewal attempts in sections off the eastern side of North Main Street, to deal with what was perceived to be a blighted condition. The University Heights endeavor was the most ambitious. In this project, many older structures were cleared, and the area redeveloped into a spacious and expensive garden apartment complex and shopping center. Recent steps taken to combat blight have been less intense with programs focused more on providing new low-income family infill housing on vacant land. Today, Mount Hope is a stable area. Decay of past decades is disappearing, with an emphasis placed on renovation.

In 1970, the population of Mount Hope was 7967 with a racial and ethnic composition of 59.8% White, 37.5% Black and 2.7% Spanish speaking. Between the years of 1960-1970, there was a net decrease of 1847 whites (28.1%) coupled with an increase of 224 (7.4%) non-whites.

In 1970 the total foreign stock population for Mount Hope numbered 2325. The four most frequent countries of origin were USSR (18.3%), Ireland (13.5%), United Kingdom (9.8%), and Poland (4.4%). English is the predomantly spoken language.

In 1970 the median income for all families was $5,655.00. In 1970, the median income for all unrelated individuals was $2,075.00. In 1960, 2370 (93.1%) of Mount Hope's male population fourteen years and older was employed in the civilian labor force as opposed to 1513 (95.5%) of the female population. By 1970 the percentage of males sixteen years and older had increased to 1818 (95.9%) and 1753 (97.3%) for the female population. The unemployment rates for 1960 and 1970 were 5.7% and 3.3% respectively.

With an unemployment rate of 3.3% in Mount Hope in 1970 100 (4.8%) of the neighborhood's families were receiving public assistance as were 1357 (37.7%) of all unrelated individuals. Between the years 1972 and 1977, the number of AFDC recipients changed from 261 to 285 both of which correspond to 4.8% of the number of cases for the City of Providence.

The general housing indicators for Mount Hope have shown variation between 1960 and 1970. The number of owner occupied units units was 1127 in 1960 and 970 in 1970. During this same timespan, the number of renter occupied units changed from 2117 to 2065 with a vacancy rate decrease from 13.1% to 7.1%. In 1970, the median value of occupied units was $11,666.00 and the median rent was $112.00. In 1973, the number of units in need of substantial rehabilitation in Mount Hope totalled 1976 (42.1%). Between 1960 and 1970, the total number of rented units fell from 2076 to 2042 with a change in rents from $64.00 to $112.00. In 1970 the breakdown of the age of housing as a percentage of the number of housing units appeared as follows: 0.2% built between 1969 and 1970; 10.6% 1965 to 1968; 1.8% 1960 to 1964; 1.9% 1950 to 1959; 5.9% 1940 to 1949; and 79.5% constructed prior to 1939. Also in 1970 there were 1536 households with one automobile, 565 with two and 74 with three or more. Eight hundred and eighty-five households were listed as having none at all. The median years of education completed in 1970 by persons twenty-five years and older was 12.3 for the total population.

Currently there are 282 eighth through eleventh graders in Mount Hope which is a part of the Hope High School feeder pattern. Of these 282 students, there are 70 (24.[illegible]) Whites, 162 (54.7%) Blacks and 50 (17.7%) portuguese and other. With an enrollment of 282, Mount Hope ranks 7th in total high school enrollment. At the present time, there are 3 bus routes directly to Central/Classical 2 to Hope and none to Mount Pleasant.

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A.1 - 1960, 1975: TOTAL POPULATION BY 5 YEAR INTERVALS				
POPULATION	YEAR			
	1960	1965	1970	1975
NUMBER	9,590	7,809	7,967	7,906
% OF TOTAL POPULATION OF PROVIDENCE	4.8	4.3	4.4	4.8

A.2 - 1960, 1970: POPULATION BY WHITE AND NON-WHITE		
POPULATION	YEAR	
	1960	1970
WHITE	6,572	4,725
NON-WHITE	3,018	3,242

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A.3 - 1960, 1970 CENSUS: POPULATION BY RACE AND SPANISH LANGUAGE

YEAR	TOTAL POPULATION	WHITE		NON-WHITE		BLACK		SPANISH LANGUAGE	
		#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%
1960	9590	6572	68.5	3018	31.5	2955	30.8	N/A	N/A
1970	7967	4725	59.3	3242	40.7	2984	37.5	89	1.1
1960-1970 Increase (+) Decrease (-)		-1847	-28.1	+224	+7.4	+20	+1.0	N/A	N/A
% Change in Proportional Distribution		-9.2		+9.2		+6.7		N/A	

A.4 - 1970 CENSUS: FERTILITY RATIO BY POPULATION

Total Population	87.8

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A.5 - 1970 CENSUS: PERSONS 25 YEARS OF AGE AND OVER BY RACE AND YEARS OF SCHOOL COMPLETED

LEVEL AND YEARS OF SCHOOL COMPLETED	TOTAL POPULATION		WHITE		BLACK		OTHER	
	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%
NO SCHOOL YEAR COMPLETED	55	1.2	24	0.8	31	1.9	-	-
ELEMENTARY: 1-4 YEARS	120	2.6	46	1.5	65	4.1	9	14.5
5-7 YEARS	416	8.9	241	7.9	175	11.0	-	-
8 YEARS	481	10.2	295	9.7	186	11.7	-	-
HIGH SCHOOL: 1-3 YEARS	861	18.3	444	14.6	396	24.9	21	33.9
4 YEARS	1323	28.2	806	26.5	489	30.7	28	45.2
COLLEGE: 1-3 YEARS	539	11.5	386	12.7	149	9.4	4	6.5
4 YEARS OR MORE	901	19.2	800	26.3	101	6.3	-	-
TOTAL	4696	100.0	3042	100.0	1592	100.0	62	100.0

A.6 - 1970 CENSUS: MEDIAN SCHOOL YEARS COMPLETED
TOTAL POPULATION
12.3

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A.7 - 1970 CENSUS: NATIVITY AND PARENTAGE

NATIVITY	TOTAL POPULATION	
	#	%
NATIVE OF NATIVE PARENT	5604	70.7
FOREIGN STOCK	2325	29.3
TOTAL	7929	100.0

A.8 - 1970 CENSUS: MOST FREQUENT COUNTRY OF ORIGIN OF FOREIGN STOCK

COUNTRY OF ORIGIN	# OF PERSONS	% FOREIGN STOCK POPULATION
USSR	426	18.3
IRELAND	313	13.4
UNITED KINGDOM	227	9.8
AUSTRIA	103	4.4
POLAND	103	4.4

A.9 - 1970 CENSUS: SPANISH POPULATION INDICATORS

INDICATORS	# OF PERSONS	% OF TOTAL POPULATION
SPANISH LANGUAGE	89	1.1

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B.1 - 1970 CENSUS: NUMBER OF EMPLOYED PERSONS 16 YEARS OLD AND OVER BY OCCUPATION

OCCUPATION	1960[1] TOTAL PERSONS EMPLOYED		1970 TOTAL PERSONS EMPLOYED		WHITE		BLACK		SPANISH	
	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%
Professional, Technical and Kindred Workers	521	15.5	997	27.9	805	34.9	192	16.1	22	75.9
Managers and Administrators Except Farm	295	8.8	257	7.2	252	10.9	5	0.4	7	24.1
Sales Workers	275	8.2	212	5.9	153	6.6	59	4.9	-	-
Clerical and Kindred Workers	588	17.5	686	19.2	468	20.3	199	16.7	-	-
Craftsmen, Foremen and Kindred Workers	363	10.8	226	6.3	143	6.2	83	7.0	-	-
Operatives, Except Transport	604	18.0	350	9.8	143	6.2	194	16.3	-	-
Transport Equipment Operatives	7	0.2	93	2.6	50	2.2	43	3.6	-	-
Laborers, Except Farm	127	3.8	190	5.3	89	3.9	101	8.5	-	-
Farmers and Farm Managers Farm Laborers and Foremen	-	-	41	1.1	22	1.0	19	1.6	-	-
Service Workers, Except Private Household	396	11.8	412	11.5	173	7.5	196	16.5	-	-
Private Household Workers	185	5.5	107	3.0	9	0.4	98	8.2	-	-
TOTAL	3361	100.0	3571	100.0	2307		1189		29	100.0

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[1] 1960 data listed for persons 14 years old and over.

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B.2 - 1960 CENSUS: EMPLOYMENT STATUS, MALES 14 YEARS AND OVER (CIVILIAN LABOR FORCE)

STATUS	TOTAL	
	#	%
EMPLOYED	2370	93.1
UNEMPLOYED	177	6.9

B.3 - 1960 CENSUS: EMPLOYMENT STATUS, FEMALES 14 YEARS AND OVER (CIVILIAN LABOR FORCE)

STATUS	TOTAL	
	#	%
EMPLOYED	1513	95.5
UNEMPLOYED	72	4.5

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B.4 - 1970 CENSUS: EMPLOYMENT STATUS BY RACE OF MALES 16 YEARS AND OVER (CIVILIAN LABOR FORCE)

STATUS	POPULATION		WHITE		BLACK	
	#	%	#	%	#	%
EMPLOYED	1818	95.9	700	96.7	553	94.0
UNEMPLOYED	77	4.1	24	3.3	35	5.6
TOTAL	1895	100.0	724	100.0	588	100.0

B.5 - 1970 CENSUS: EMPLOYMENT STATUS BY RACE OF FEMALES 16 YEARS AND OVER (CIVILIAN LABOR FORCE)

STATUS	POPULATION		WHITE		BLACK	
	#	%	#	%	#	%
EMPLOYED	1753	97.6	653	98.0	638	97.5
UNEMPLOYED	44	2.4	13	2.0	16	2.4
TOTAL	1797	100.0	666	100.0	654	100.0

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B.6 - 1960, 1970 CENSUS: MEDIAN INCOME

6.1 1960 MEDIAN INCOME [1]

YEAR	ALL FAMILIES AND UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS
1960	$4351

6.2 1970 MEDIAN INCOME

YEAR	ALL FAMILIES	ALL UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS
1970	$5,655	$2,075

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1) 1960 Median Income Data is not disaggregated by families and unrelated individuals.

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B.7 - 1970 CENSUS: PERSONS BELOW POVERTY LEVEL

TOTAL POPULATION		
# PERSONS	% OF NEIGHBORHOOD POPULATION	% OF TOTAL POPULATION OF PROVIDENCE BELOW POVERTY LEVEL
1405	17.6	4.4

B.8 - 1970 CENSUS: NUMBER OF RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 IN FAMILIES BELOW POVERTY LEVEL BY RACE

TOTAL POPULATION			WHITE		BLACK		OTHER	
# PERSONS	% OF NEIGHBORHOOD POPULATION BELOW 18 YEARS	% OF RELATED CHILDREN IN PROVIDENCE UNDER 18 YEARS, BELOW POVERTY LEVEL	#	%	#	%	#	%
332	15.4	3.0	65	19.6	223	67.2	44	13.2

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B.9 - 1972-1977: DECEMBER AFDC CASES

YEAR	NUMBER OF CASES	% OF CASES IN PROVIDENCE
1972	261	4.8
1973	249	4.6
1974	289	5.1
1975	290	5.0
1976	272	4.6
1977	285	4.8

B. 10 - 1970 CENSUS: FAMILIES RECEIVING PUBLIC ASSISTANCE

# FAMILIES RECEIVING PUBLIC ASSISTANCE	% OF ALL FAMILIES IN NEIGHBORHOOD	% OF FAMILIES IN PROVIDENCE RECEIVING PUBLIC ASSISTANCE
100	4.7	4.8

B.11 - 1970 CENSUS: UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS RECEIVING PUBLIC ASSISTANCE

# PERSONS	% OF UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS IN NEIGHBORHOOD	% OF TOTAL UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS RECEIVING PUBLIC ASSISTANCE IN PROVIDENCE
1357	37.7	7.3

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C.1 - 1975: TOTAL HOUSING, VACANCY RATE, AND UNITS IN NEED OF SUBSTANTIAL REHABILITATION

Characteristics	Number
Total Housing Units	4696
Vacancy Rate	5.6%
% of Units in Need of Substantial Rehabilitation *	42.1

* The need for "substantial rehabilitation" was determined by the Department of Planning and Urban Development based on a survey which considered structural factors including: Foundation, Exterior Shell, Porches and Stairs, Gutters and Down Spouts, Doors and Windows, Roof and Chimney.

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C.2 - 1970 CENSUS: UNITS IN STRUCTURE AS A PERCENTAGE OF NEIGHBORHOOD'S HOUSING STRUCTURES	1970	
NUMBER OF UNITS IN STRUCTURE	#	%
1 (INCLUDES MOBILE HOME/ TRAILER)	700	21.7
2	924	28.6
3 AND 4	821	25.4
5 TO 49	777	24.1
50 AND OVER	7	0.2
TOTAL YEAR-ROUND HOUSING UNITS	3,229	100.0

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C.3 - 1970 CENSUS: AGE OF NEIGHBORHOOD HOUSING AS A PERCENTAGE OF TOTAL NEIGHBORHOOD HOUSING UNITS

AGE OF HOUSING	#	%
1969 TO MARCH 1970	7	0.2
1965 TO 1968	344	10.6
1960 TO 1964	59	1.8
1950 TO 1959	60	1.9
1940 TO 1949	192	5.9
1939 AND EARLIER	2,567	79.5
TOTAL	3,229	100.0

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C. 4 - 1960, 1970 CENSUS: HOUSING UNITS BY OWNER AND RENTER

	1960	1970	Net Change 1960-1970
Total Housing Units	3543	3266	- 277
Owner Occupied	1127	970	- 157
Renter Occupied	2117	2065	- 52
Vacancy Rate	13.1%	7.1%	- 45.8%

C.5 - 1970 CENSUS: MEDIAN VALUE OR RENT OF OCCUPIED UNITS

STATUS	1970
Median Value	$11,666
Median Rent	$81

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C.6 - 1960, 1970 CENSUS: RENTER-OCCUPIED AS A PERCENTAGE OF NEIGHBORHOOD'S RENTED UNITS

	1960		1970	
	#	%	#	%
Total - Rented Units	2076	100.0	2042	100.0
Less Than $40	-	-	12	0.6
$40 to $59	202	9.7	76	3.7
$60 to $79	573	27.6	294	14.4
$80 to $99	799	38.5	363	17.8
$100 to $149	299	14.4	880	43.1
$150 and Over	177	8.5	400	19.6
No Cash Rents	26	1.3	17	0.8
Median Rent	$64	-	$112	-

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C. 7 - 1970 CENSUS: VALUE OF OWNER OCCUPIED HOUSING BY HEAD OF HOUSEHOLD

	TOTAL OWNER OCCUPIED UNITS	
SINGLE FAMILY	#	%
Less Than $5,000	4	.8
$5,000 - $7,499	16	3.2
$7,500 - $9,999	27	5.4
$10,000 - $14,999	110	21.9
$15,000 - $19,999	135	26.8
$20,000 - $24,999	78	15.5
$25,000 - $34,999	75	14.9
$35,000 - $49,999	43	8.5
$50,000 and over	15	3.0
TOTAL	503	100.0

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C.8 - 1960, 1970 CENSUS: DENSITY OF RESIDENCE WITHIN HOUSING UNIT

	1960		1970	
	#	%	#	%
TOTAL NUMBER OF OCCUPIED UNITS	3244	100.0	3035	100.0
ROOMS WITH 1.00 PERSONS OR LESS	3022	93.2	2923	96.3
ROOMS WITH 1.01 PERSONS OR MORE	222	6.8	112	3.7
MEDIAN PERSONS PER OCCUPIED UNIT	2.4	-	2.2	-

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C. 9 - 1970 CENSUS: NUMBER OF AUTOMOBILES AVAILABLE BY HOUSEHOLD

Automobiles	# Households
One	1536
Two	565
Three or More	74
None	885

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C. 10 1975 DISTRIBUTION OF LAND USE BY NEIGHBORHOOD

LAND USE CATEGORY	LAND AREA IN SQ. FT.	% OF TOTAL AREA
Undeveloped Land and Water Areas	1,678,607	7.4
Residential Uses (Total)	8,703,520	38.4
One Family	2,650,006	11.7
Two Family	2,374,724	10.4
Three Family	1,243,679	5.5
Multi-Family	1,676,389	7.4
Other	758,722	3.3
Manufacturing	1,600,967	7.1
Transportation, Communication and Utilities	1,433,774	6.3
Trade (Total)	1,284,967	5.7
Wholesale	730,527	3.2
Retail	554,440	2.5
General Services	1,035,066	4.6
Institutional and Governmental Services (Total)	6,253,294	28.0
Education (Nursery, Primary and Secondary)	224,431	1.0
Educational Services (other)	133,661	.6
Religious Services	293,111	1.3
Medical and Health Services	34,510	.2
Government	680,988	3.0
Other (Service Organizations, Cemeteries, etc.)	4,886,593	21.6
Cultural, Entertainment, and Recreation Services	668,693	2.9
Resource Production and Extraction	--	--
Totals	22,658,888	100.0

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D. 1 - 1966-1974: NET EFFECT OF RESIDENT BIRTHS AND DEATHS

YEAR	BIRTHS	% OF CITY BIRTHS	DEATHS	% OF CITY DEATHS	NET EFFECT
1966	136	4.1	104	3.9	+32
1967	129	4.1	128	4.8	+1
1968	124	4.0	130	4.9	-6
1969	150	4.3	94	3.8	+56
1970	149	4.7	111	4.5	+38
1971	111	3.8	90	3.8	+21
1972	126	5.0	91	4.0	+35
1973	127	5.4	87	3.7	+40
1974	98	4.6	155	7.3	-57
TOTALS	1150	-	990	-	+160
5 YR. AVERAGE 1970-74	122.2	4.7	96.8	4.7	+25.4

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D.2 - 1970-1974: SELECTED HEALTH INDICES: MORTALITY

Deaths by Cause	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	5 YEAR AVERAGE
Malignant Neoplasms	22	16	20	14	22	18.8
Lung	3	2	3	2	3	2.6
Breast	-	3	1	-	2	1.2
Cervix	-	-	-	-	-	-
Colon & Rectum	4	3	1	2	2	2.4
Diabetes Mellitus	5	4	2	4	1	3.2
Cadiovascular Disease	57	48	52	45	56	51.6
Heart Disease (All Forms)	39	34	42	28	35	35.6
Myocardial Infarction	15	16	13	11	18	14.6
Chronic Ischemic Heart Dis.	17	13	21	15	13	15.8
Cerebrovascular Disease	12	10	9	11	16	11.6
Respiratory Disease	4	3	3	6	3	3.8
Pneumonia/Influenza	4	3	3	6	3	3.8
Emphysema	-	-	-	-	-	-
Gastrointestinal Disease	3	1	2	5	5	3.2
Cirrhosis of the Liver	2	-	2	5	4	2.6
External Causes	2	10	4	9	6	6.2
Motor Vehicle Accidents	-	4	-	5	-	1.8

Total Deaths	111	90	91	87	105	96.8
Mean Age at Death	67.7	70.8	67.9	69.4	68.8	68.9
Infant Deaths	2	1	1	1	2	1.4
Number Age 65 and Over	76	64	63	61	77	68.2

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D.3 - 1970-1974: SELECTED HEALTH INDICIES: NATALITY

INDICIES	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	Five Year Average
LIVE BIRTHS	149	111	126	127	98	122.2
NEWBORNS WEIGHING BELOW 2500 GRAMS (5½ LBS.)	12	5	9	13	7	9.2
BIRTHS TO MOTHERS UNDER AGE 20	22	27	19	28	15	22.2
BIRTHS TO MOTHERS AGE 35 AND OVER	14	4	7	5	7	7.4
BIRTHS OF PARITY GREATER THAN 3	20	16	15	14	7	14.4

D.4 - 1977: ADMISSIONS AND RATE/THOUSAND TO PROVIDENCE MENTAL HEALTH CENTER

ADMISSIONS	RATE/THOUSAND	% OF NEIGHBORHOOD POPULATION
71	5.9	0.9

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E.1 - 1972, 1973: FAMILY COURT HEARINGS OTHER THAN WAYWARD/DELINQUENT (MOTOR VEHILCE VIOLATIONS EXCLUDED), MALE AND FEMALE CHILDREN

	1973		1972	
MALE CHILDREN	# CASES	% CITY CASES	# CASES	% CITY CASES
NEW	14	5.8	17	6.1
REPEATERS	14	4.4	15	5.5
VIOLATORS OF PROBATION	13	4.7	26	7.5

	1973		1972	
FEMALE CHILDREN	# CASES	% CITY CASES	# CASES	% CITY CASES
NEW	4	5.0	1	1.1
REPEATERS	3	6.4	3	6.9
VIOLATORS OF PROBATION	1	2.8	3	12.5

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TOTAL CHILDREN	# CASES	% CITY CASES	# CASES	% CITY CASES
NEW	18	5.6	18	4.8
REPEATERS	17	4.6	18	5.7
VIOLATORS OF PROBATION	14	4.5	29	7.8

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E.2 - 1972, 1973: NON-JUDICIAL MOTOR VEHICLE VIOLATIONS ONLY

	1973		1972	
MALE CHILDREN	# CASES	% CITY CASES	# CASES	% CITY CASES
NEW	4	5.1	3	3.7
REPEATERS	1	6.6	-	-
VIOLATORS OF PROBATION	-	-	-	-

	1973		1972	
FEMALE CHILDREN	# CASES	% CITY CASES	# CASES	% CITY CASES
NEW	-	-	1	9.1
REPEATERS	-	-	-	-
VIOLATORS OF PROBATION	-	-	-	-

	1973		1972	
TOTAL CHILDREN	# CASES	% CITY CASES	# CASES	% CITY CASES
NEW	4	4.4	4	4.4
REPEATERS	1	6.2	-	-
VIOLATORS OF PROBATION	-	-	-	-

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E.4 - 1972, 1973: NON-JUDICIAL - OTHER THAN WAYWARD/DELINQUENT
(MOTOR VIEHICLE VIOLATIONS EXCLUDED)

MALE CHILDREN	1973 # CASES	1973 % CITY CASES	1972 # CASES	1972 % CITY CASES
NEW	2	5.4	1	4.5
REPEATERS	3	20.0	-	-
VIOLATORS OF PROBATION	2	50.0	1	50.0

FEMALE CHILDREN	1973 # CASES	1973 % CITY CASES	1972 # CASES	1972 % CITY CASES
NEW	1	4.5	3	27.2
REPEATERS	1	50.0	-	-
VIOLATORS OF PROBATION	-	-	-	-

TOTAL CHILDREN	1973 # CASES	1973 % CITY CASES	1972 # CASES	1972 % CITY CASES
NEW	3	5.1	4	12.1
REPEATERS	4	23.5	-	-
VIOLATORS OF PROBATION	2	40.0	1	50.0

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E.4 - 1972, 1973: HEARINGS - MOTOR VEHICLE VIOLATIONS ONLY

	1973		1972	
MALE CHILDREN	# CASES	% CITY CASES	# CASES	% CITY CASES
NEW	2	3.0	4	5.7
REPEATERS	3	5.0	5	9.8
VIOLATORS OF PROBATION	2	5.0	-	-

	1973		1972	
FEMALE CHILDREN	# CASES	% CITY CASES	# CASES	% CITY CASES
NEW	-	-	1	7.6
REPEATERS	-	-	-	-
VIOLATORS OF PROBATION	-	-	1	100.0

	1973		1972	
TOTAL CHILDREN	# CASES	% CITY CASES	# CASES	% CITY CASES
NEW	2	2.7	5	6.0
REPEATERS	3.	4.8	5	9.4
VIOLATORS OF PROBATION	2	5.7	1	2.6

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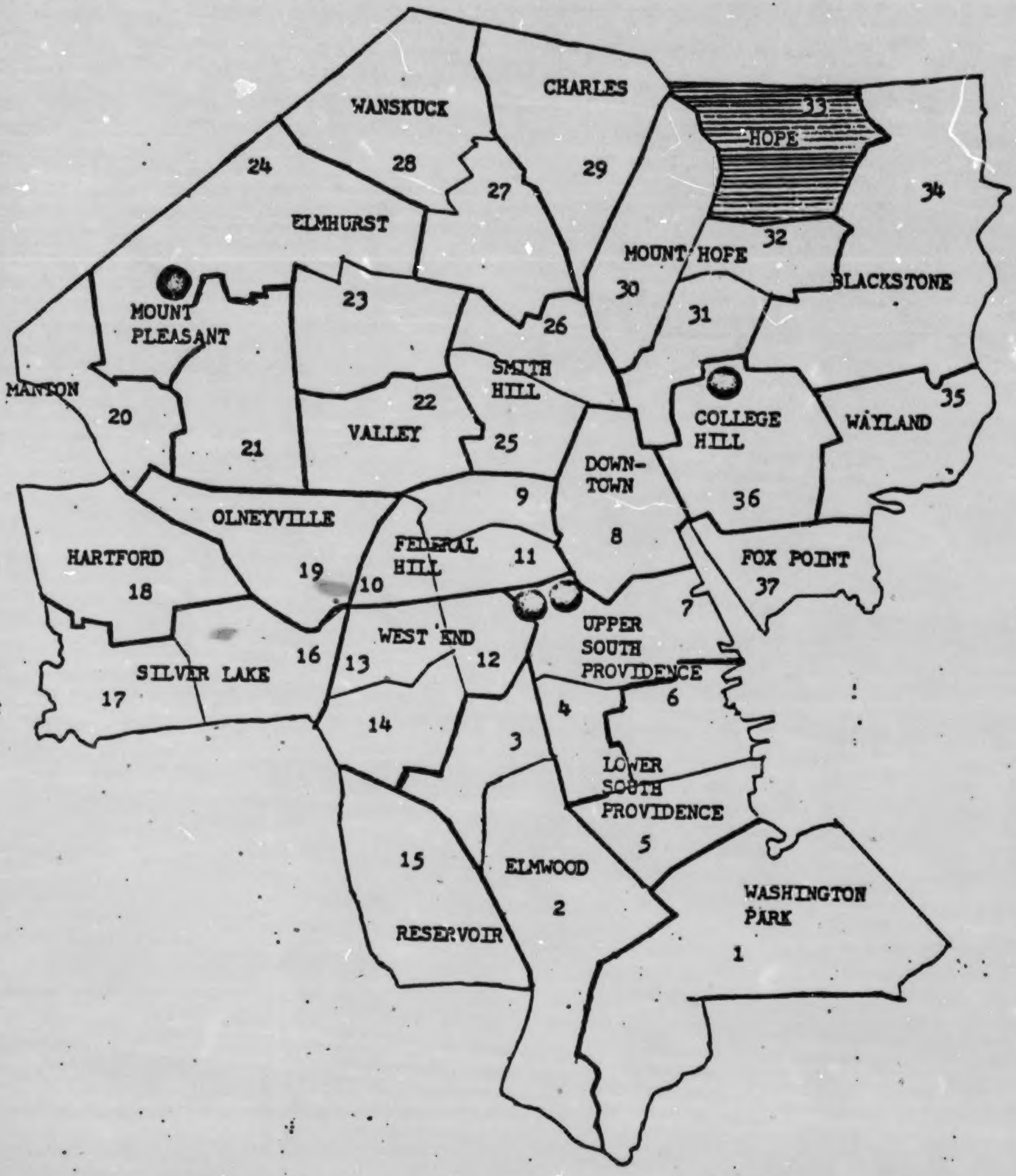
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The Hope neighborhood, composed of census tract 33, is located in the northeastern area of the City of Providence. It is bounded on the north by the City of Pawtucket, on the south by Rochambeau Avenue, on the east by the Blackstone neighborhood, and on the west by North Burial Ground.

Hope was largely vacant until the first decades of the 19th century when development began along the neighborhood's two primary arteries, North Main and Hope Streets. Like other areas of Providence, Hope continued its growth in the 20th century, with homes built closely together on the cross streets between Hope and North Main.

Largely due to the limited industry in this area, Hope was able to avoid the blight which so severely affected neighboring Mt. Hope in this century. Today, Hope remains a stable neighborhood, predominately residential, with a healthy retail area.

In 1970, the population of Hope was 5237 with a racial and ethnic composition of 97.7% White, 1.0% Black, and 1.3% Spanish speaking. Between the years of 1960-1970, there was a net decrease of 376 whites (6.8%) coupled with a substantial increase of 86 non-whites. In 1970 the total foreign stock population for Hope numbered 2257. The four most frequent countries of origin were USSR (34.5%), Ireland (18.2%), Poland (7.3%), and Canada (6.7%). English is the predominantly spoken language.

Between the years 1960 and 1970 the median income for all families rose from $6497 to $11,069, an increase of 70.4%. In 1970, the median income for all unrelated individuals was $2920. In 1960, 1496 (95.8%) of the Hope male population fourteen years and older was employed in the civilian labor force as opposed to 865 (96.0%) of the female population. By 1970 the percentage of males sixteen years and older had increased to 1344 (96.8%) and 1948 (98.0%) for the female population. The unemployment rates for 1960 and 1970 were 4.1% and 3.0% respectively.

With an unemployment rate of 3.0% in Hope in 1970, 15 (1.0%) of the neighborhood's families were receiving public assistance as were 426 (25.5%) of all unrelated individuals. Between the years 1972 and 1977, the number of AFDC recipients changed from 115 to 129 both of which correspond to 2.1% of the number of cases for the City of Providence.

The general housing indicators for Hope have shown variation between 1960 and 1970. The number of owner occupied units was 1080 in 1960, and 1021 in 1970. During this same timespan, the number of renter occupied units changed from 744 to 821 with a vacancy rate decrease from 2.9% to 2.7%. In 1970, the median value of occupied units was $19,600 and the median rent $126.00. In 1975, the number of units in need of substantial rehabilitation in Hope totalled 1029 (54.4%) Between 1960 and 1970, the total number of rented units rose from 713 to 820 with a change in rent from $86.00 to $126.00. In 1970 the breakdown of the age of Hope housing as a percentage of the number of housing units appeared as follows: 0.4% built between 1969 and 1970; 1.3% 1965 to 1968; 1.9% 1960 to 1964; 3.9% 1950 to 1959; 8.4% 1940 to 1949; and 84.2% constructed prior to 1939. Also in 1970 there were 932 households with one automobile, 493 with two and 75 with three or more. Three hundred thirty-nine households were listed as having none at all. The median years of education completed in 1970 by persons twenty-five years and older was 12.5 for the total population.

Currently there are 142 eighth through eleventh graders in Hope which is a part of the Hope High School feeder pattern. Of these 142 students, there are 116 (81.7%) Whites, 12 (8.5%) Blacks and 14 (9.8%) Hispanic and other. With an enrollment of 142, Hope ranks 18th in total high school enrollment. At the present time, there are 2 bus routes directly to Central/Classical, 1 to Hope and none to Mount Pleasant.

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A.1 - 1960, 1975: TOTAL POPULATION BY 5 YEAR INTERVALS				
POPULATION	YEAR			
	1960	1965	1970	1975
NUMBER	5,527	5,940	5,237	5,171
% OF TOTAL POPULATION OF PROVIDENCE	2.8	3.3	2.9	3.1

A.2 - 1960, 1970: POPULATION BY WHITE AND NON-WHITE		
POPULATION	YEAR	
	1960	1970
WHITE -	5,517	5,141
NON-WHITE	10	96

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A.3 - 1960, 1970 CENSUS: POPULATION BY RACE AND SPANISH LANGUAGE

YEAR	TOTAL POPULATION	WHITE		NON-WHITE		BLACK		SPANISH LANGUAGE	
		#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%
1960	5527	5517	99.8	10	0.2	1	-	N/A	N/A
1970	5237	5141	98.2	96	1.8	59	1.1	15	0.3
1960-1970 Increase (+) Decrease (-)		-376	-6.8	+86	860.0	+58	+580.0	N/A	N/A
% Change in Proportional Distribution		-1.6		+1.6		+1.1		N/A	

A.4 - 1970 CENSUS:	FERTILITY RATIO BY POPULATION
Total Population	68.2

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A.5 - 1970 CENSUS: PERSONS 25 YEARS OF AGE AND OVER BY RACE AND YEARS OF SCHOOL COMPLETED

LEVEL AND YEARS OF SCHOOL COMPLETED	TOTAL POPULATION		WHITE		BLACK		OTHER	
	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%
NO SCHOOL YEAR COMPLETED	19	0.6	14	0.4	5	19.2	-	-
ELEMENTARY: 1-4 YEARS	42	1.2	37	1.1	5	19.2	-	-
5-7 YEARS	240	7.0	240	7.1	-	-	-	-
8 YEARS	346	10.0	346	10.2	-	-	-	-
HIGH SCHOOL: 1-3 YEARS	540	15.7	540	15.9	-	-	-	-
4 YEARS	1187	34.3	1176	34.6	6	23.1	5	19.2
COLLEGE: 1-3 YEARS	447	13.0	447	13.2	-	-	-	-
4 YEARS OR MORE	628	18.2	597	17.6	10	38.5	21	80.8
TOTAL	3449	100.1	3397	100.1	26	100.0	26	100.0

A.6 - 1970 CENSUS: MEDIAN SCHOOL YEARS COMPLETED
TOTAL POPULATION
12.5

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A.7 - 1970 CENSUS: NATIVITY AND PARENTAGE

NATIVITY	TOTAL POPULATION	
	#	%
NATIVE OF NATIVE PARENT	2980	56.9
FOREIGN STOCK	2257	43.1
TOTAL	5237	100.0

A.8 - 1970 CENSUS: MOST FREQUENT COUNTRY OF ORIGIN OF FOREIGN STOCK

COUNTRY OF ORIGIN	# OF PERSONS	% FOREIGN STOCK POPULATION
USSR	801	34.5
IRELAND	411	18.2
POLAND	166	7.3
CANADA	151	6.7

A.9 - 1970 CENSUS: SPANISH POPULATION INDICATORS

INDICATORS	# OF PERSONS	% OF TOTAL POPULATION
SPANISH LANGUAGE	15	0.3

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B.1 - 1970 CENSUS: NUMBER OF EMPLOYED PERSONS 16 YEARS OLD AND OVER BY OCCUPATION

OCCUPATION	1960[1] TOTAL PERSONS EMPLOYED #	1960[1] TOTAL PERSONS EMPLOYED %	1970 TOTAL PERSONS EMPLOYED #	1970 TOTAL PERSONS EMPLOYED %	1970 WHITE #	1970 WHITE %	1970 BLACK #	1970 BLACK %	1970 SPANISH #	1970 SPANISH %
Professional, Technical and Kindred Workers	328	14.8	593	25.9	568	25.2	10	47.6	-	-
Managers and Administrators Except Farm	347	15.6	206	9.0	206	9.1	-	-	-	-
Sales Workers	456	20.5	297	13.0	291	12.9	6	28.5	-	-
Clerical and Kindred Workers	450	20.3	484	21.2	484	21.5	-	-	-	-
Craftsmen, Foremen and Kindred Workers	201	9.1	174	7.6	174	7.7	-	-	-	-
Operatives, Except Transport	220	9.9	244	10.6	244	10.8	-	-	-	-
Transport Equipment Operatives	4	0.2	25	1.0	25	1.1	-	-	-	-
Laborers, Except Farm	37	1.7	60	2.6	60	2.6	-	-	-	-
Farmers and Farm Managers	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Farm Laborers and Foremen										
Service Workers, Except Private Household	142	6.4	174	7.6	169	7.5	5	23.8	-	-
Private Household Workers	33	1.5	25	1.0	25	1.1	-	-	-	-
TOTAL	2218	100.0	2282	100.0	2246		21		-	-

[1] 1960 data listed for persons 14 years old and over.

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B.2 - 1960 CENSUS: EMPLOYMENT STATUS, MALES 14 YEARS AND OVER (CIVILIAN LABOR FORCE)

STATUS	TOTAL	
	#	%
EMPLOYED	1496	95.8
UNEMPLOYED	64	4.2

B.3 - 1960 CENSUS: EMPLOYMENT STATUS, FEMALES 14 YEARS AND OVER (CIVILIAN LABOR FORCE)

STATUS	TOTAL	
	#	%
EMPLOYED	865	96.0
UNEMPLOYED	36	4.0

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B.4 - 1970 CENSUS: EMPLOYMENT STATUS BY RACE OF MALES 16 YEARS AND OVER (CIVILIAN LABOR FORCE)

STATUS	POPULATION		WHITE		BLACK	
	#	%	#	%	#	%
EMPLOYED	1334	96.8	1314	96.4	9	64.3
UNEMPLOYED	54	3.2	49	3.6	5	35.7
TOTAL	1388	100.0	1363	100.0	14	100.0

B.5 - 1970 CENSUS: EMPLOYMENT STATUS BY RACE OF FEMALES 16 YEARS AND OVER (CIVILIAN LABOR FORCE)

STATUS	POPULATION		WHITE		BLACK	
	#	%	#	%	#	%
EMPLOYED	948	98.0	932	98.0	12	100.0
UNEMPLOYED	19	2.0	19	2.0	0	0.0
TOTAL	969	100.0	951	100.0	12	100.0

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B.6 - 1960, 1970 CENSUS: MEDIAN INCOME

6.1 1960 MEDIAN INCOME [1]

YEAR	ALL FAMILIES AND UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS
1960	$5774

6.2 1970 MEDIAN INCOME

YEAR	ALL FAMILIES	ALL UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS
1970	$11,069	$2,920

1) 1960 Median Income Data is not disaggregated by families and unrelated individuals.

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B.7 - 1970 CENSUS: PERSONS BELOW POVERTY LEVEL		
TOTAL POPULATION		
# PERSONS	% OF NEIGHBORHOOD POPULATION	% OF TOTAL POPULATION OF PROVIDENCE BELOW POVERTY LEVEL
535	10.2	1.7

B.8 - 1970 CENSUS: NUMBER OF RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 IN FAMILIES BELOW POVERTY LEVEL BY RACE								
TOTAL POPULATION			WHITE		BLACK		OTHER	
# PERSONS	% OF NEIGHBORHOOD POPULATION BELOW 18 YEARS	% OF RELATED CHILDREN IN PROVIDENCE UNDER 18 YEARS, BELOW POVERTY LEVEL	#	%	#	%	#	%
194	15.1	1.8	189	97.4	5	2.6	-	-

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B.9 - 1972-1977: DECEMBER AFDC CASES

YEAR	NUMBER OF CASES	% OF CASES IN PROVIDENCE
1972	51	0.9
1973	47	0.9
1974	42	0.8
1975	43	0.8
1976	47	0.8
1977	43	0.7

B. 10 - 1970 CENSUS: FAMILIES RECEIVING PUBLIC ASSISTANCE

# FAMILIES RECEIVING PUBLIC ASSISTANCE	% OF ALL FAMILIES IN NEIGHBORHOOD	% OF FAMILIES IN PROVIDENCE RECEIVING PUBLIC ASSISTANCE
15	0.7	1.0

B.11 - 1970 CENSUS: UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS RECEIVING PUBLIC ASSISTANCE

# PERSONS	% OF UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS IN NEIGHBORHOOD	% OF TOTAL UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS RECEIVING PUBLIC ASSISTANCE IN PROVIDENCE
426	25.5	2.3

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C.1 - 1975: TOTAL HOUSING, VACANCY RATE, AND UNITS IN NEED OF SUBSTANTIAL REHABILITATION

Characteristics	Number
Total Housing Units	1890
Vacancy Rate	4.56%
% of Units in Need of Substantial Rehabilitation *	54.4

* The need for "substantial rehabilitation" was determined by the Department of Planning and Urban Development based on a survey which considered structural factors including: Foundation, Exterior Shell, Porches and Stairs, Gutters and Down Spouts, Doors and Windows, Roof and Chimney.

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C.2 - 1970 CENSUS: UNITS IN STRUCTURE AS A PERCENTAGE OF NEIGHBORHOOD'S HOUSING STRUCTURES		
	1970	
NUMBER OF UNITS IN STRUCTURE	#	%
1 (INCLUDES MOBILE HOME/ TRAILER)	806	42.6
2	614	32.5
3 AND 4	415	21.9
5 TO 49	56	3.0
50 AND OVER	0	.0
TOTAL YEAR-ROUND HOUSING UNITS	1,891	100.0

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C.3 - 1970 CENSUS: AGE OF NEIGHBORHOOD HOUSING AS A PERCENTAGE OF TOTAL NEIGHBORHOOD HOUSING UNITS		
AGE OF HOUSING	#	%
1969 TO MARCH 1970	7	0.4
1965 TO 1968	25	1.3
1960 TO 1964	35	1.9
1950 TO 1959	74	3.9
1940 TO 1949	158	8.4
1939 AND EARLIER	1,592	84.2
TOTAL	1,891	100.0

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C.4 - 1960, 1970 CENSUS: HOUSING UNITS BY OWNER AND RENTER

	1960	1970	Net Change 1960-1970
Total Housing Units	1877	1894	+ 17
Owner Occupied	1080	1021	- 59
Renter Occupied	744	821	+ 77
Vacancy Rate	2.9%	2.7%	- 6.9%

C.5 - 1970 CENSUS: MEDIAN VALUE OR RENT OF OCCUPIED UNITS

STATUS	1970
Median Value	$19,600
Median Rent	$86

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C.6 - 1960, 1970 CENSUS: RENTER-OCCUPIED AS A PERCENTAGE OF NEIGHBORHOOD'S RENTED UNITS

	1960		1970	
	#	%	#	%
Total - Rented Units	713	100.0	820	100.0
Less Than $40	-	-	4	0.5
$40 to $59	15	2.1	24	2.9
$60 to $79	83	11.6	68	8.3
$80 to $99	191	26.8	106	12.9
$100 to $149	206	28.9	400	48.8
$150 and Over	202	48.2	202	24.6
No Cash Rents	16	2.2	16	1.6
Median Rent	$86	-	$126	-

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C. 7 - 1970 CENSUS: VALUE OF OWNER OCCUPIED HOUSING BY HEAD OF HOUSEHOLD

SINGLE FAMILY	TOTAL OWNER OCCUPIED UNITS #	%
Less Than $5,000	1	.1
$5,000 - $7,499	2	.3
$7,500 - $9,999	25	3.6
$10,000 - $14,999	121	17.4
$15,000 - $19,999	215	31.0
$20,000 - $24,999	180	25.9
$25,000 - $34,999	116	16.7
$35,000 - $49,999	22	3.2
$50,000 and over	12	1.7
TOTAL	694	100.0

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C.8 - 1960, 1970 CENSUS: DENSITY OR RESIDENCE WITHIN HOUSING UNIT

	1960		1970	
	#	%	#	%
TOTAL NUMBER OF OCCUPIED UNITS	1824	100.0	1842	100.0
ROOMS WITH 1.00 PERSONS OR LESS	1776	97.4	1773	96.3
ROOMS WITH 1.01 PERSONS OR MORE	48	2.6	69	3.7
MEDIAN PERSONS PER OCCUPIED UNIT	2.6	-	2.4	-

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C. 9 - 1970 CENSUS: NUMBER OF AUTOMOBILES AVAILABLE BY HOUSEHOLD

Automobiles	# Household
One	932
Two	493
Three or More	75
None	339

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C. 10 1975 DISTRIBUTION OF LAND USE BY NEIGHBORHOOD

LAND USE CATEGORY	LAND AREA IN SQ. FT.	% OF TOTAL AREA
Undeveloped Land and Water Areas	366,226	3.6
Residential Uses (Total)	6,577,555	64.9
One Family	3,938,587	38.9
Two Family	1,472,669	14.5
Three Family	601,370	5.9
Multi-Family	126,368	1.3
Other	438,561	4.3
Manufacturing	23,370	.2
Transportation, Communication and Utilities	725,416	7.2
Trade (Total)	879,942	8.7
Wholesale	123,649	1.2
Retail	756,293	7.5
General Services	242,355	2.4
Institutional and Governmental Services (Total)	590,844	5.8
Education (Nursery, Primary and Secondary)	65,045	.6
Educational Services (other)	50,698	.5
Religious Services	74,710	.7
Medical and Health Services	220,000	2.2
Government	175,337	1.7
Other (Service Organizations, Cemeteries, etc.)	5,054	.1
Cultural, Entertainment, and Recreation Services	722,562	7.1
Resource Production and Extraction	--	--
Totals	10,128,270	100.0

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D. 1 - 1966-1974: NET EFFECT OF RESIDENT BIRHTS AND DEATHS

YEAR	BIRTHS	% OF CITY BIRTHS	DEATHS	% OF CITY DEATHS	NET EFFECT
1966	63	1.9	70	2.6	-7
1967	64	2.0	69	2.6	-5
1968	74	2.4	78	2.9	-4
1969	76	2.4	78	3.2	-2
1970	64	2.0	79	3.2	-15
1971	77	2.7	72	3.0	+5
1972	51	2.0	56	2.5	-5
1973	51	2.1	56	2.4	-5
1974	41	1.9	81	3.8	-40
TOTALS	561	-	639	-	-78
5 YR. AVERAGE 1970-74	56.8	2.1	68.5	3.0	-11.7

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D.2 - 1970-1974: SELECTED HEALTH INDICES: MORTALITY

Deaths by Cause	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	5 YEAR AVERAGE
Malignant Neoplasms	12	13	21	16	14	15.2
Lung	2	1	4	4	3	2.8
Breast	-	2	3	-	1	1.2
Cervix	-	-	-	-	-	-
Colon & Rectum	3	6	2	3	2	3.2
Diabetes Mellitus	1	-	-	-	1	0.4
Cadiovascular Disease	55	52	24	28	55	42.8
Heart Disease (All Forms)	40	41	17	23	49	34.0
Myocardial Infarction	18	18	7	13	23	15.8
Chronic Ischemic Heart Dis.	18	20	9	6	22	15.0
Cerebrovascular Disease	11	7	5	5	4	6.4
Respiratory Disease	1	4	3	4	2	2.8
Pneumonia/Influenza	1	2	1	4	1	1.8
Emphysema	-	1	-	-	-	0.2
Gastrointestinal Disease	3	1	1	1	1	1.4
Cirrhosis of the Liver	1	-	1	-	-	0.4
External Causes	4	-	-	2	2	1.6
Motor Vehicle Accidents	1	-	-	-	1	0.4

Total Deaths	79	72	56	56	81	68.8
Mean Age at Death	71.2	71.0	71.3	68.8	74.5	71.6
Infant Deaths	1	1	-	2	-	0.8
Number Age 65 and Over	57	53	41	40	67	51.6

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D.3 - 1970-1974: SELECTED HEALTH INDICIES: NATALITY						
INDICIES	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	Five Year Average
LIVE BIRTHS	64	77	51	51	41	56.8
NEWBORNS WEIGHING BELOW 2500 GRAMS (5½ LBS.)	1	3	2	5	1	2.4
BIRTHS TO MOTHERS UNDER AGE 20	2	3	3	5	5	3.6
BIRTHS TO MOTHERS AGE 35 AND OVER	1	1	1	1	2	1.2
BIRTHS OF PARITY GREATER THAN 3	7	8	7	6	5	6.6

D.4 - 1977: ADMISSIONS AND RATE/THOUSAND TO PROVIDENCE MENTAL HEALTH CENTER		
ADMISSIONS	RATE/THOUSAND	% OF NEIGHBORHOOD POPULATION
24	4.6	0.5

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E.1 - 1972, 1973: FAMILY COURT HEARINGS OTHER THAN WAYWARD/DELINQUENT (MOTOR VEHICLE VIOLATIONS EXCLUDED), MALE AND FEMALE CHILDREN

	1973		1972	
MALE CHILDREN	# CASES	% CITY CASES	# CASES	% CITY CASES
NEW	2	0.8	3	1.1
REPEATERS	2	0.6	2	0.7
VIOLATORS OF PROBATION	-	-	-	-

	1973		1972	
FEMALE CHILDREN	# CASES	% CITY CASES	# CASES	% CITY CASES
NEW	2	2.5	6	6.3
REPEATERS	1	2.1	1	2.3
VIOLATORS OF PROBATION	-	-	-	-

	1973		1972	
TOTAL CHILDREN	# CASES	% CITY CASES	# CASES	% CITY CASES
NEW	4	1.2	9	2.4
REPEATERS	3	0.8	3	0.8
VIOLATORS OF PROBATION	-	-	-	-

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E.2 - 1972, 1973: NON-JUDICIAL MOTOR VEHICLE VIOLATIONS ONLY

MALE CHILDREN	1973 # CASES	1973 % CITY CASES	1972 # CASES	1972 % CITY CASES
NEW	2	2.5	4	5.0
REPEATERS	-	-	1	14.2
VIOLATORS OF PROBATION	-	-	-	-

FEMALE CHILDREN	1973 # CASES	1973 % CITY CASES	1972 # CASES	1972 % CITY CASES
NEW	1	8.3	1	9.1
REPEATERS	-	-	-	-
VIOLATORS OF PROBATION	-	-	-	-

TOTAL CHILDREN	1973 # CASES	1973 % CITY CASES	1972 # CASES	1972 % CITY CASES
NEW	3	3.3	5	5.5
REPEATERS	-	-	1	12.5
VIOLATORS OF PROBATION	-	-	-	-

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E.3 - 1972, 1973: NON-JUDICIAL - OTHER THAN WAYWARD/DELINQUENT (MOTOR VEHICLE VIOLATIONS EXCLUDED)

	1973		1972	
MALE CHILDREN	# CASES	% CITY CASES	# CASES	% CITY CASES
NEW	2	5.4	3	13.6
REPEATERS	-	-	-	-
VIOLATORS OF PROBATION	-	-	-	-

	1973		1972	
FEMALE CHILDREN	# CASES	% CITY CASES	# CASES	CITY CASES
NEW	1	4.5	-	-
REPEATERS	-	-	-	-
VIOLATORS OF PROBATION	-	-	-	-

	1973		1972	
TOTAL CHILDREN	# CASES	% CITY CASES	# CASES	% CITY CASES
NEW	3	5.1	3	9.1
REPEATERS	-	-	-	-
VIOLATORS OF PROBATION	-	-	-	-

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E.4 - 1972, 1973: HEARINGS - MOTOR VEHICLE VIOLATIONS ONLY

MALE CHILDREN	1973 # CASES	1973 % CITY CASES	1972 # CASES	1972 % CITY CASES
NEW	-	-	1	1.4
REPEATERS	2	3.3	1	1.9
VIOLATORS OF PROBATION	-	-	1	2.7

FEMALE CHILDREN	1973 # CASES	1973 % CITY CASES	1972 # CASES	1972 % CITY CASES
NEW	-	-	-	-
REPEATERS	-	-	-	-
VIOLATORS OF PROBATION	-	-	-	-

TOTAL CHILDREN	1973 # CASES	1973 % CITY CASES	1972 # CASES	1972 % CITY CASES
NEW	-	-	1	1.2
REPEATERS	2.	3.2	1	1.8
VIOLATORS OF PROBATION	-	-	1	2.6

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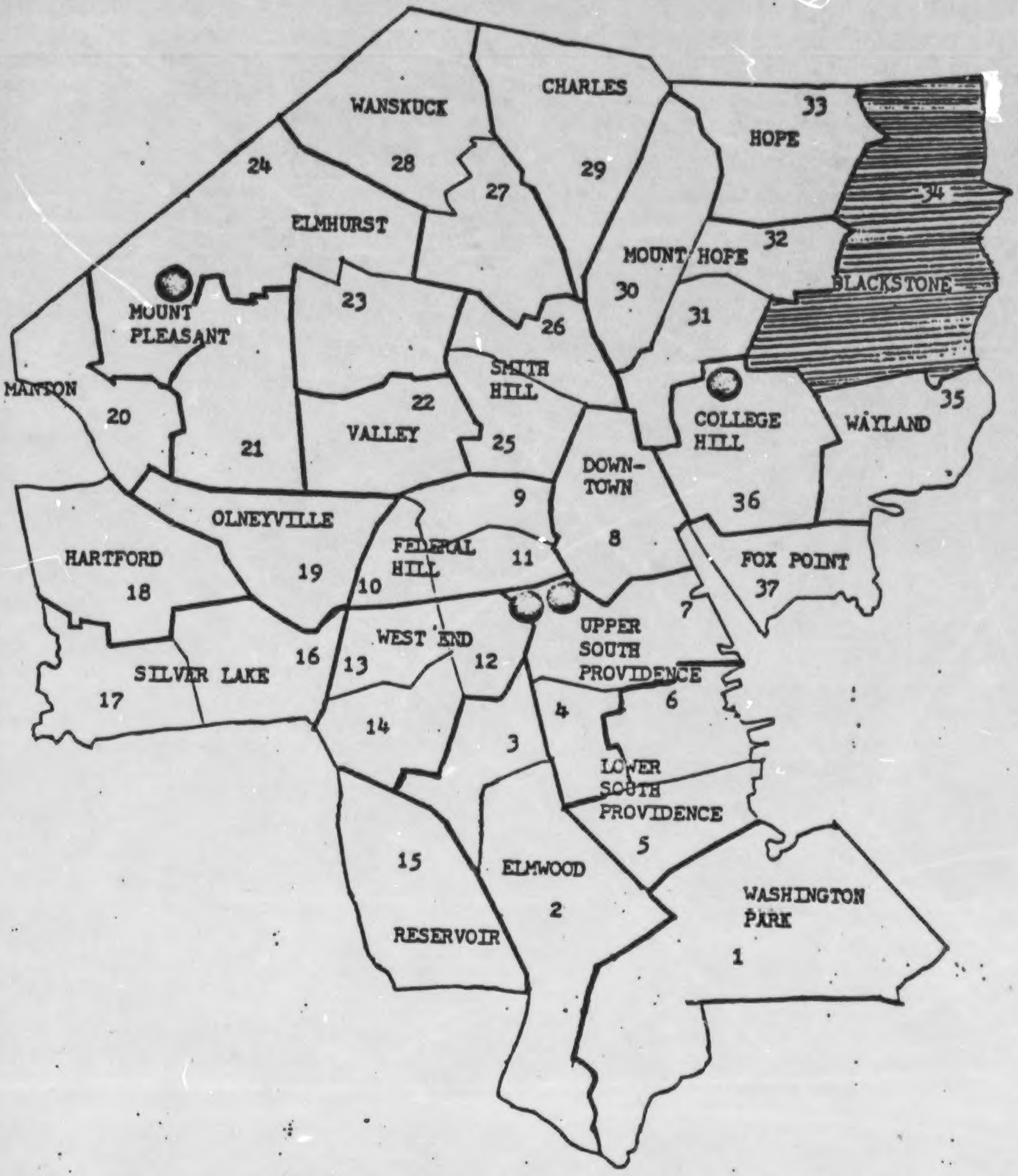
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The Blackstone neighborhood is composed of census tract 34, and is located in the northeastern portion of the city. Much of the land in this area is quite marshy, a characteristic which made early settlement rather unattractive. Blackstone remained vacant for nearly a century after Providence was founded.

Lying in a shallow valley between the eastern ridge of the Moshassuck Rivery Valley and the Seekonk River, Blackstone today is primarily a residential neighborhood. Single family units virtually dominate the area. Butler Hospital, a private psychiatric hospital established in 1841, and Swan Point Cemetary which dates back to 1847, are the two primary non-residential uses.

In 1970, the population of Blackstone was 5513 with a racial and ethnic composition of 97.9% White, 1.1% Black and 1.0% Spanish speaking. Between the years of 1960-1970, there was a net decrease of 23 whites (0.4%) coupled with a corresponding increase of 67 (197.1%) non-whites.

In 1970, the total foreign stock population for Blackstone numbered 2178. The four most frequent countries of origin were USSR (42.9%), Canada (7.2%), Poland (6.5%), and Ireland (5.8%). English is the predominantly spoken language.

Between the years 1960 and 1970 the median income for all families rose from $11,115.00 to $22,063.00, an increase of 98.5% . In 1970, the median income for all unrelated individuals was $4,481.00. In 1960, 1401 (97.6%) of the Blackstone male population fourteen years and older was employed in the civilian labor force as opposed to 696 (99.4%) of the female population. By 1970 the percentage of males sixteen years and older has risen to 1448 (98.7%) and 884 (98.1%) for the female population. The unemployment rates for 1960 and 1970 were 1.5% and 1.6% respectively.

In 1970 0 (0%) of the neighborhood's families were receiving public assistance as were 540 (21.1%) of all unrelated individuals. Between the years 1972 and 1977, the number of AFDC recipients changed from 8 to 11 which corresponds to 0.1% and 0.2% of the number of cases for the City of Providence.

The general housing indicators for Blackstone have shown variation between 1960 and 1970. The number of owner occupied units was 1301 in 1960 and 1337 in 1970. During this same timespan, the number of renter occupied units changed from 458 to 547 with a vacancy rate decrease from 4.0% to 2.4%. In 1970, the median value of occupied units was $45,500.00 and the median rent was $153.00. In 1975, the number of units in need of substantial rehabilitation in Blackstone totalled 481 (26.1%). Between 1960 and 1970, the total number of rented units increased from 427 to 547 with a change in rents from $98.00 to $153.00. In 1970 the breakdown of the age of Blackstone housing as a percentage of the number of housing units appeared as follows: 0% built between 1969 and 1970; 1.1% 1965 to 1968; 1.7% 1960 to 1964; 9.8% 1950 to 1959; 4.4% 1940 to 1949; and 82.4% constructed prior to 1939. Also in 1970 there were 680 households with one automobile, 869 with two and 163 with three or more. One hundred and seventy-two households were listed as having none at all. The median years of education completed in 1970 by persons twenty-five years and older was 15.7 for the total population.

Currently there are 110 eighth through eleventh graders in Blackstone which is a part of the Hope High School feeder pattern. Of these 110 students, there are 105 (95.5%) Whites, 3 (2.7%) Blacks and 2 (1.8%) Portuguese and other. With an enrollment of 110, Blackstone ranks 20th in total high school student enrollment. At the present time, there are 3 bus routes directly to Central/Classical, none to Hope and none to Mount Pleasant.

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A.1 - 1960, 1975: TOTAL POPULATION BY 5 YEAR INTERVALS				
POPULATION	YEAR			
	1960	1965	1970	1975
NUMBER	5,469	4,700	5,513	5,515
% OF TOTAL POPULATION OF PROVIDENCE	2.7	2.6	3.1	3.3

A.2 - 1960, 1970: POPULATION BY WHITE AND NON-WHITE		
POPULATION	YEAR	
	1960	1970
WHITE	5,435	5,412
NON-WHITE	34	101

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A.3 - 1960, 1970 CENSUS: POPULATION BY RACE AND SPANISH LANGUAGE

YEAR	TOTAL POPULATION	WHITE		NON-WHITE		BLACK		SPANISH LANGUAGE	
		#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%
1960	5469	5435	99.4	34	0.6	29	0.5	N/A	N/A
1970	5513	5412	98.2	101	1.8	38	0.7	54	1.0
1960-1970 Increase (+) Decrease (-)		-23	-0.4	+67	+197.1	+9	+31.0	N/A	N/A
% Change in Proportional Distribution		-1.2		+1.2		+0.2		N/A	

A.4 - 1970 CENSUS: FERTILITY RATIO BY POPULATION	
Total Population	36.7

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A.5 - 1970 CENSUS: PERSONS 25 YEARS OF AGE AND OVER BY RACE AND YEARS OF SCHOOL COMPLETED

LEVEL AND YEARS OF SCHOOL COMPLETED	TOTAL POPULATION		WHITE		BLACK		OTHER	
	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%
NO SCHOOL YEAR COMPLETED	32	0.9	32	0.9	-	-	-	-
ELEMENTARY: 1-4 YEARS	16	0.5	16	0.5	-	-	-	-
5-7 YEARS	72	2.0	58	1.7	14	36.8	-	-
8 YEARS	117	3.3	113	3.3	4	10.5	-	-
HIGH SCHOOL: 1-3 YEARS	190	5.4	174	5.0	10	26.3	6	18.2
4 YEARS	807	22.9	797	23.1	10	26.3	-	-
COLLEGE: 1-3 YEARS	583	16.6	579	16.8	-	-	4	12.1
4 YEARS OR MORE	1703	48.4	1680	48.7	-	-	23	69.7
TOTAL	3520	100.0	3449	100.0	38	99.9	33	100.0

A.6 - 1970 CENSUS: MEDIAN SCHOOL YEARS COMPLETED

TOTAL POPULATION
15.7

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A.7 - 1970 CENSUS: NATIVITY AND PARENTAGE

NATIVITY	TOTAL POPULATION #	TOTAL POPULATION %
NATIVE OF NATIVE PARENT	3335	60.5
FOREIGN STOCK	2178	39.5
TOTAL	5513	100.0

A.8 - 1970 CENSUS: MOST FREQUENT COUNTRY OF ORIGIN OF FOREIGN STOCK

COUNTRY OF ORIGIN	# OF PERSONS	% FOREIGN STOCK POPULATION
USSR	934	42.9
CANADA	158	7.2
POLAND	142	6.5
IRELAND	126	5.8

A.9 - 1970 CENSUS: SPANISH POPULATION INDICATORS

INDICATORS	# OF PERSONS	% OF TOTAL POPULATION
SPANISH LANGUAGE	54	1.0

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B.1 - 1970 CENSUS: NUMBER OF EMPLOYED PERSONS 16 YEARS OLD AND OVER BY OCCUPATION

	1960[1]		1970							
OCCUPATION	TOTAL PERSONS EMPLOYED		TOTAL PERSONS EMPLOYED		WHITE		BLACK		SPANISH	
	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%
Professional, Technical and Kindred Workers	540	27.5	1010	43.3	995	43.5	-	-	-	-
Managers and Administrators Except Farm	647	33.0	503	21.5	503	22.0	-	-	6	50.0
Sales Workers	168	8.6	242	10.3	237	10.4	5	17.2	-	-
Clerical and Kindred Workers	258	13.2	334	14.3	334	14.6	-	-	6	50.0
Craftsmen, Foremen and Kindred Workers	67	3.4	41	1.7	37	1.6	4	13.8	-	-
Operatives, Except Transport	38	1.9	41	1.7	38	1.6	3	10.3	-	-
Transport Equipment Operatives	-	-	26	1.1	26	1.1	-	-	-	-
Laborers, Except Farm	-	-	10	0.4	10	0.4	-	-	-	-
Farmers and Farm Managers Farm Laborers and Foremen	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Service Workers, Except Private Household	39	2.0	43	1.8	38	1.6	5	17.2	-	-
Private Household Workers	204	10.4	82	3.5	70	3.1	12	41.4	-	-
TOTAL	1961	100.0	2332	100.0	2288		29		12	100.0

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[1] 1960 data listed for persons 14 years old and over.

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B.4 - 1970 CENSUS: EMPLOYMENT STATUS BY RACE OF MALES 16 YEARS AND OVER (CIVILIAN LABOR FORCE)

STATUS	POPULATION		WHITE		BLACK	
	#	%	#	%	#	%
EMPLOYED	1448	98.7	1931	98.8	7	100.0
UNEMPLOYED	18	1.3	18	1.2	0	-
TOTAL	1466	100.0	1449	100.0	7	100.0

B.5 - 1970 CENSUS: EMPLOYMENT STATUS BY RACE OF FEMALES 16 YEARS AND OVER (CIVILIAN LABOR FORCE)

STATUS	POPULATION		WHITE		BLACK	
	#	%	#	%	#	%
EMPLOYED	884	98.1	857	78.1	22	100.0
UNEMPLOYED	17	1.9	17	1.9	0	-
TOTAL	901	100.0	874	100.0	22	100.0

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B.2 - 1960 CENSUS: EMPLOYMENT STATUS, MALES 14 YEARS AND OVER (CIVILIAN LABOR FORCE)

STATUS	TOTAL	
	#	%
EMPLOYED	1401	97.6
UNEMPLOYED	34	2.4

B.3 - 1960 CENSUS: EMPLOYMENT STATUS, FEMALES 14 YEARS AND OVER (CIVILIAN LABOR FORCE)

STATUS	TOTAL	
	#	%
EMPLOYED	696	99.4
UNEMPLOYED	4	0.6

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B.7 - 1970 CENSUS: PERSONS BELOW POVERTY LEVEL

TOTAL POPULATION		
# PERSONS	% OF NEIGHBORHOOD POPULATION	% OF TOTAL POPULATION OF PROVIDENCE BELOW POVERTY LEVEL
381	6.9	1.2

B.8 - 1970 CENSUS: NUMBER OF RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 IN FAMILIES BELOW POVERTY LEVEL BY RACE

TOTAL POPULATION			WHITE		BLACK		OTHER	
# PERSONS	% OF NEIGHBORHOOD POPULATION BELOW 18 YEARS	% OF RELATED CHILDREN IN PROVIDENCE UNDER 18 YEARS, BELOW POVERTY LEVEL	#	%	#	%	#	%
145	9.5	1.3	141	100.0	-	-	4	2.8

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B.6 - 1960, 1970 CENSUS: MEDIAN INCOME

6.1 1960 MEDIAN INCOME [1]

YEAR	ALL FAMILIES AND UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS
1960	$7740

6.2 1970 MEDIAN INCOME

YEAR	ALL FAMILIES	ALL UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS
1970	$22,063	$4.481

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1) 1960 Median Income Data is not disaggregated by families and unrelated individuals.

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C.1 - 1975: TOTAL HOUSING, VACANCY RATE, AND UNITS IN NEED OF SUBSTANTIAL REHABILITATION

Characteristics	Number
Total Housing Units	1840
Vacancy Rate	0.4%
% of Units in Need of Substantial Rehabilitation *	26.1

* The need for "substantial rehabilitation" was determined by the Department of Planning and Urban Development based on a survey which considered structural factors including: Foundation, Exterior Shell, Porches and Stairs, Gutters and Down Spouts, Doors and Windows, Roof and Chimney.

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B.9 - 1972-1977: DECEMBER AFDC CASES

YEAR	NUMBER OF CASES	% OF CASES IN PROVIDENCE
1972	8	0.1
1973	10	0.2
1974	11	0.2
1975	14	0.2
1976	10	0.2
1977	11	0.2

B. 10 - 1970 CENSUS: FAMILIES RECEIVING PUBLIC ASSISTANCE

# FAMILIES RECEIVING PUBLIC ASSISTANCE	% OF ALL FAMILIES IN NEIGHBORHOOD	% OF FAMILIES IN PROVIDENCE RECEIVING PUBLIC ASSISTANCE
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B.11 - 1970 CENSUS: UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS RECEIVING PUBLIC ASSISTANCE

# PERSONS	% OF UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS IN NEIGHBORHOOD	% OF TOTAL UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS RECEIVING PUBLIC ASSISTANCE IN PROVIDENCE
540	21.1	2.9

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C.3 - 1970 CENSUS: AGE OF NEIGHBORHOOD HOUSING AS A PERCENTAGE OF TOTAL NEIGHBORHOOD HOUSING UNITS

AGE OF HOUSING	#	%
1969 TO MARCH 1970	-	-
1965 TO 1968	22	1.1
1960 TO 1964	32	1.7
1950 TO 1959	190	9.8
1940 TO 1949	85	4.4
1939 AND EARLIER	1,601	82.9
TOTAL	1,930	100.0

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C.2 - 1970 CENSUS: UNITS IN STRUCTURE AS A PERCENTAGE OF NEIGHBORHOOD'S HOUSING STRUCTURES

	1970	
NUMBER OF UNITS IN STRUCTURE	#	%
1 (INCLUDES MOBILE HOME/ TRAILER)	1,316	68.2
2	279	14.5
3 AND 4	168	8.7
5 TO 49	167	8.7
50 AND OVER	0	.0
TOTAL YEAR-ROUND HOUSING UNITS	1,930	100.0

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C.6 - 1960, 1970 CENSUS: RENTER-OCCUPIED AS A PERCENTAGE OF NEIGHBORHOOD'S RENTED UNITS

	1960		1970	
	#	%	#	%
Total - Rented Units	427	100.0	547	100.0
Less Than $40	-	-	-	-
$40 to $59	8	1.9	5	0.9
$60 to $79	17	1.4	29	5.3
$80 to $99	97	22.7	38	6.9
$100 to $149	101	23.7	161	29.4
$150 and Over	171	40.0	254	46.4
No Cash Rents	33	7.7	60	10.9
Median Rent	$98	-	$153	-

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C.4 - 1960, 1970 CENSUS: HOUSING UNITS BY OWNER AND RENTER

	1960	1970	Net Change 1960-1970
Total Housing Units	1832	1930	+ 98
Owner Occupied	1301	1337	+ 36
Renter Occupied	458	547	+ 89
Vacancy Rate	4.0%	2.4%	- 40.0%

C.5 - 1970 CENSUS: MEDIAN VALUE OR RENT OF OCCUPIED UNITS

STATUS	1970
Median Value	$45,500
Median Rent	$126

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C.8 - 1069, 1970 CENSUS: DENSITY OF RESIDENCE WITHIN HOUSING UNIT

	1960		1970	
	#	%	#	%
TOTAL NUMBER OF OCCUPIED UNITS	1759	100.0	1884	100.0
ROOMS WITH 1.00 PERSONS OR LESS	1754	99.7	1874	99.5
ROOMS WITH 1.01 PERSONS OR MORE	5	0.3	10	0.5
MEDIAN PERSONS PER OCCUPIED UNIT	2.8	-	2.4	-

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C. 7 - 1970 CENSUS: VALUE OF OWNER OCCUPIED HOUSING BY HEAD OF HOUSEHOLD

SINGLE FAMILY	TOTAL OWNER OCCUPIED UNITS	
	#	%
Less Than $5,000	0	.0
$5,000 - $7,499	1	.1
$7,500 - $9,999	2	.2
$10,000 - $14,999	15	1.3
$15,000 - $19,999	46	3.9
$20,000 - $24,999	89	7.5
$25,000 - $34,999	202	17.0
$35,000 - $49,999	340	28.7
$50,000 and over	490	41.3
TOTAL	1185	100.0

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C. 10 1975 DISTRIBUTION OF LAND USE BY NEIGHBORHOOD

LAND USE CATEGORY	LAND AREA IN SQ. FT.	% OF TOTAL AREA
Undeveloped Land and Water Areas	510,064	1.9
Residential Uses (Total)	12,531,747	47.2
One Family	10,484,354	39.4
Two Family	1,077,131	4.0
Three Family	235,916	.9
Multi-Family	147,040	.5
Other	587,306	2.2
Manufacturing	--	--
Transportation, Communication and Utilities	21,280	.1
Trade (Total)	43,926	.2
Wholesale	--	--
Retail	43,926	.2
General Services	11,000	0
Institutional and Governmental Services (Total)	13,066,843	49.2
Education (Nursery, Primary and Secondary)	303,499	1.1
Educational Services (other)	37,430	.1
Religious Services	218,237	.8
Medical and Health Services	3,836,338	14.4
Government	--	--
Other (Service Organizations, Cemeteries, etc.)	8,671,339	32.6
Cultural, Entertainment, and Recreation Services	394,659	1.5
Resource Production and Extraction	--	--
Totals	26,579,519	100.0

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C. 9 - 1970 CENSUS: NUMBER OF AUTOMOBILES AVAILABLE BY HOUSEHOLD

Automobiles	# Households
One	680
Two	869
Three or More	163
None	172

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D.2 -1970-1974: SELECTED HEALTH INDICES: MORTALITY

Deaths by Cause	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	5 YEAR AVERAGE
Malignant Neoplasms	18	11	9	18	15	14.2
Lung	5	3	2	1	3	2.8
Breast	2	-	-	-	1	0.6
Cervix	-	-	-	-	-	-
Colon & Rectum	1	3	1	5	4	2.8
Diabetes Mellitus	2	-	-	-	1	0.6
Cadiovascular Disease	25	30	24	34	31	28.8
Heart Disease (All Forms)	18	20	17	24	22	20.2
Myocardial Infarction	11	8	8	14	10	10.2
Chronic Ischemic Heart Dis.	6	11	5	8	11	8.2
Cerebrovascular Disease	4	9	6	9	4	6.4
Respiratory Disease	2	2	3	1	1	1.8
Pneumonia/Influenza	1	2	3	1	1	1.6
Emphysema	-	-	-	-	-	-
Gastrointestinal Disease	-	3	2	-	4	1.8
Cirrhosis of the Liver	-	-	-	-	1	0.2
External Causes	2	3	2	2	1	2.0
Motor Vehicle Accidents	1	-	-	1	-	0.4

Total Deaths	51	51	42	58	57	51.8
Mean Age at Death	67.6	75.5	76.1	74.3	72.6	73.1
Infant Deaths	1	-	-	-	-	0.2
Number Age 65 and Over	36	45	34	49	42	41.2

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D. 1 - 1966-1974: NET EFFECT OF RESIDENT BIRTHS AND DEATHS

YEAR	BIRTHS	% OF CITY BIRTHS	DEATHS	% OF CITY DEATHS	NET EFFECT
1966	40	1.2	78	2.9	-38
1967	60	1.9	59	2.2	+1
1968	64	2.1	57	2.1	+7
1969	55	1.8	66	2.7	-11
1970	37	1.2	51	2.1	-14
1971	38	1.3	51	2.1	-13
1972	33	1.3	42	1.8	-9
1973	35	1.5	58	2.5	-23
1974	37	1.7	57	2.7	-20
TOTALS	399	-	519	-	-120
5 YR. AVERAGE 1970-74	36.0	1.4	51.8	2.2	-15.8

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E.1 - 1972, 1973: FAMILY COURT HEARINGS OTHER THAN WAYWARD/DELINQUENT (MOTOR VEHICLE VIOLATIONS EXCLUDED), MALE AND FEMALE CHILDREN

	1973		1972	
MALE CHILDREN	# CASES	% CITY CASES	# CASES	% CITY CASES
NEW	4	1.7	1	0.4
REPEATERS	-	-	-	-
VIOLATORS OF PROBATION	-	-	1	0.3

	1973		1972	
FEMALE CHILDREN	# CASES	% CITY CASES	# CASES	% CITY CASES
NEW	3	3.8	-	-
REPEATERS	-	-	-	-
VIOLATORS OF PROBATION	-	-	-	-

	1973		1972	
TOTAL CHILDREN	# CASES	% CITY CASES	# CASES	% CITY CASES
NEW	7	2.2	1	0.3
REPEATERS	-	-	-	-
VIOLATORS OF PROBATION	-	-	1	0.3

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D.3 - 1970-1974: SELECTED HEALTH INDICIES: NATALITY

INDICIES	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	Five Year Average
LIVE BIRTHS	37	38	33	35	37	36.0
NEWBORNS WEIGHING BELOW 2500 GRAMS (5½ LBS.)	2	4	3	1	1	2.2
BIRTHS TO MOTHERS UNDER AGE 20	1	-	1	-	-	0.4
BIRTHS TO MOTHERS AGE 35 AND OVER	2	2	3	2	3	2.4
BIRTHS OF PARITY GREATER THAN 3	6	4	-	4	3	3.4

D.4 - 1977: ADMISSIONS AND RATE/THOUSAND TO PROVIDENCE MENTAL HEALTH CENTER

ADMISSIONS	RATE/THOUSAND	% OF NEIGHBORHOOD POPULATION
18	3.3	0.3

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E.3 - 1972, 1973: NON-JUDICIAL - OTHER THAN WAYWARD/DELINQUENT (MOTOR VEHICLE VIOLATIONS EXCLUDED)

	1973		1972	
MALE CHILDREN	#.CASES	% CITY CASES	# CASES	% CITY CASES
NEW	-	-	-	-
REPEATERS	-	-	-	-
VIOLATORS OF PROBATION	-	-	-	-

	1973		1972	
FEMALE CHILDREN	# CASES	% CITY CASES	# CASES	% CITY CASES
NEW	-	-	-	-
REPEATERS	-	-	-	-
VIOLATORS OF PROBATION	-	-	-	-

	1973		1972	
TOTAL CHILDREN	# CASES	% CITY CASES	# CASES	% CITY CASES
NEW	-	-	-	-
REPEATERS	-	-	-	-
VIOLATORS OF PROBATION	-	-	-	-

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E.2 - 1972, 1973: NON-JUDICIAL MOTOR VEHICLE VIOLATIONS ONLY

MALE CHILDREN	1973 # CASES	1973 % CITY CASES	1972 # CASES	1972 % CITY CASES
NEW	1	1.2	2	2.5
REPEATERS	-	-	-	-
VIOLATORS OF PROBATION	-	-	-	-

FEMALE CHILDREN	1973 # CASES	1973 % CITY CASES	1972 # CASES	1972 % CITY CASES
NEW	-	-	-	-
REPEATERS	-	-	-	-
VIOLATORS OF PROBATION	-	-	-	-

TOTAL CHILDREN	1973 # CASES	1973 % CITY CASES	1972 # CASES	1972 % CITY CASES
NEW	1	1.1	2	2.2
REPEATERS	-	-	-	-
VIOLATORS OF PROBATION	-	-	-	-

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E.4 - 1972, 1973: HEARINGS - MOTOR VEHICLE VIOLATIONS ONLY

	1973		1972	
MALE CHILDREN	# CASES	% CITY CASES	# CASES	% CITY CASES
NEW	3	4.6	-	-
REPEATERS	2	3.3	-	-
VIOLATORS OF PROBATION	-	-	-	-

	1973		1972	
FEMALE CHILDREN	# CASES	% CITY CASES	# CASES	% CITY CASES
NEW	-	-	-	-
REPEATERS	-	-	-	-
IOLATORS OF ROBATION	-	-	-	-

	1973		1972	
OTAL HILDREN	# CASES	% CITY CASES	# CASES	% CITY CASES
EW	3	4.1	-	-
EPEATERS	2	8.6	-	-
IOLATORS OF ROBATION	-	-	-	-

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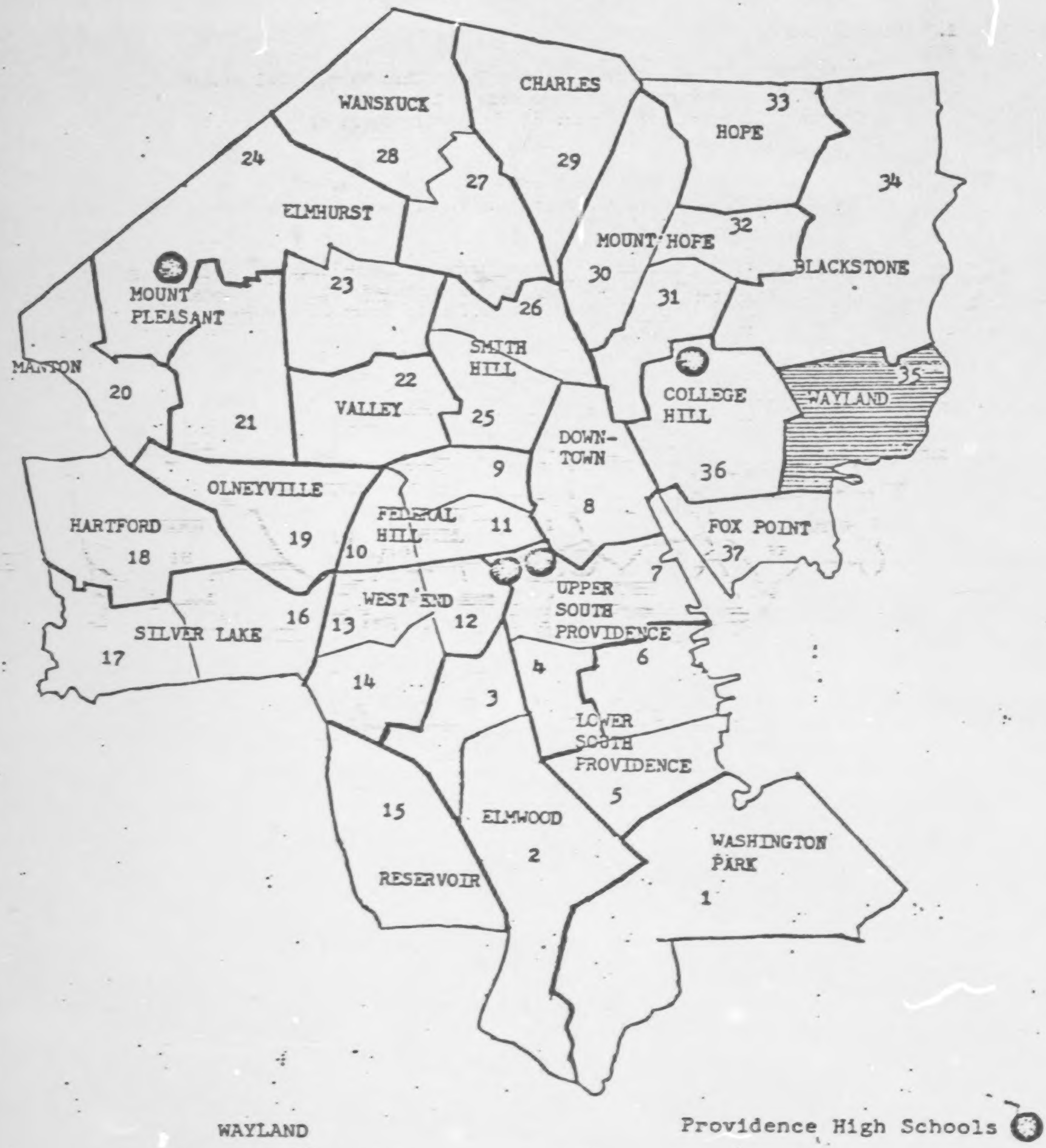
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The Wayland neighborhood, composed of census tract 35, is located on the banks of the Seekonk River, in the northeastern area of the City of Providence. This portion of the city is of special historic significance in that the first white settlers in Providence arrived in Wayland, at State Rock. Unfortunately, this spot has since been obscured by eastern landfill.

The southern portion of Wayland has always been a working class neighborhood. The area is characterized by a mixture of closely built multi-family homes of simple design, interspread with small commercial enterprises. The northern portion of Wayland is also largely residential, composed mostly of single-family dwellings. This is an attractive area, left relatively untouched by major development projects.

In 1970, the population of Wayland was 5702 with a racial and ethnic composition of 97.3% White, 1.2% Black and 1.4% Spanish speaking. Between the years 1960-1970, there was a net decrease of 483 whites (8.0%) coupled with a substantial increase of 126 non-whites.

In 1970 the total foreign stock population for Wayland numbered 2360. The four most frequent countries of origin were Ireland (16.1%), USSR (10.2%), Canada (6.3%), and United Kingdom (6.0%), and a large proportion of "Other and Not Reported".* English is the predominantly spoken language.

Between the years 1960 and 1970 the median income for all families rose from $6895.00 to $11,280.00, an increase of 63.6%. In 1970, the median income for all unrelated individuals was $3,722.00. In 1960, 1434 (91.8%) of the Wayland male population fourteen years and older was employed in the civilian labor force as opposed to 1444 (97.4%) of the female population. By 1970 the percentage of males sixteen years and older had risen to 1380 (98.4%) and 1258 (97.7%) for the female population. The unemployment rates for 1960 and 1970 were 5.9% and 1.95% respectively.

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* The 1970 United States Census figures do not indicate how many of the residents of the neighborhood are of Portuguese foreign stock. This group is included in the residual category labeled "Other and Not Reported", and their exact number cannot be determined. Calculations based on school enrollment data, however, indicate that approximately 27% of the Wayland residents are of Portuguese extraction.

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NEIGHBORHOOD PROFILES

Overview

CPAD Urban Field Center, RICES, University of Rhode Island, provides planning assistance to community groups and city and state agencies in Rhode Island. In The fall of 1977, the Providence School Department contracted with the Center for planning and management for collaboration on the Neutral Site Planning Project, funded by an Emergency School Aid Act (ESAA) grant from the U. S. Office of Education.

The Emergency School Aid Act (ESAA) makes funds available to local education agencies who are involved in efforts to eliminate, reduce, or prevent minority group isolation. Specifically, neutral site planning grants are used to plan for schools that are located so as to be accessible to substantial numbers of students from different racial and ethnic backgrounds. The grants also are used to develop either special curriculum or teaching methodologies not generally offered to students of the same age or grade level in the local educational agency. For the calendar year 1977-78, neutral site planning grants were awarded to four public school systems in the United States by the Office of Education.

The fundamental concept in the location of a neutral school is the assumption that a school's site is one of the significant factors in its success. Location is defined in relation to the racial identity of the neighborhood and area in which the school is placed. Research and experience have demonstrated that schools in racially identifiable communities often have difficulty in enrolling students of the other racial identities. For minority student isolation to be reduced, eliminated or prevented, a school system must identify the location of minority and non-minority students in the district, and select a school site that is accessible to both groups.

This federal grant enabled the Providence School Department and the University of Rhode Island to develop a planning process to meet ESAA's mandate. In particular, the Neutral Site Planning Staff of the University of Rhode Island had responsibility for two objectives of this planning process:

- To conduct studies and surveys to determine the location of a Neutral Site School and;
- To provide technical planning assistance to the Providence School Department in the development of special curriculum options.

The major activities undertaken in order to meet the first objectives were:

- To inventory the present school sites and assess them through a series of significant criteria;
- To identify the location of potential students of the neutral site schools;
- To determine the accessibility of the school sites to the neighborhoods in which minority and non-minority students reside and;
- To describe the characteristics of Providence neighborhoods in which minority and non-minority students reside.

The information developed to meet the first three major activities are found in The Final Report: Volume I: The Neutral Site Plan. The supporting documentation for the fourth activity is the focus of this series of neighborhood profiles.

What are Neighborhood Profiles?

Neighborhood profiles are a series of tables and charts which include statistical information on twenty-four individual neighborhoods in Providence. The information includes demographic, economic, housing, and social service and crime data. Educational demographic characteristics and transportation access for potential neutral site magnet students are presented, although discussed in greater depth in Volume I. Specific indicators from each data category were selected on the basis of an assessment of the perceived needs for educational programming by Rhode Island planners, educators, and community groups; availability of secondary data sources; and experience with data collection and analysis activities in Rhode Island. The listing of indicators is extensive, and includes such data as population by race and Spanish language; median school years completed; employment status; density of residence within housing unit; distribution of land use; selected health indices; and crime data. Each series of tables and charts is introduced by a summary of key indicators and a map of the neighborhood.

There are twenty-four neighborhoods for which profiles have been prepared. The neighborhood designations are modifications of the Providence Department of Planning and Urban Development (PUD) boundaries. Where modifications occur, it is because the Neutral Site Planning Project staff collected secondary data by census tract and defined neighborhoods accordingly. Table One lists the neighborhoods included in this series.

The neighborhood profiles were developed in order to provide the educational community with an understanding of the student's environment "outside the classroom". It is only with planning from a neighborhood or city-wide perspective that responsive programs and schools can be

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A.1 - 1960, 1975: TOTAL POPULATION BY 5 YEAR INTERVALS

POPULATION	YEAR			
	1960	1965	1970	1975
NUMBER	6,059	5,683	5,702	5,516
% OF TOTAL POPULATION OF PROVIDENCE	3.0	3.2	3.2	3.3

A.2 - 1960, 1970: POPULATION BY WHITE AND NON-WHITE

POPULATION	YEAR	
	1960	1970
WHITE	6,018	5,535
NON-WHITE	41	167

In 1970, 1831 (32.2%) of all unrelated individuals in Wayland were receiving public assistance. Between the years 1972 and 1977, the number of AFDC recipients changed from 22 to 18 which corresponds to 0.4% and 0.3% of the number of cases for the City of Providence.

The general housing indicators for Wayland have shown variation between 1960 and 1970. The number of owner occupied units was 733 in 1960 and 642 in 1970. During this same timespan, the number of renter occupied units changed from 1782 to 1923 with no change in the vacancy rate. In 1970, the median value of occupied units was $29,000.00 and the median rent was $98.00. In 1975, the number of units in need of substantial rehabilitation in Wayland totalled 1420 (47.8%). Between 1960 and 1970, the total number of rented units increased from 1215 to 1256 with a change in rents from $76.00 to $98.00. In 1970 the breakdown of the age of housing units appeared as follows: 0% built between 1969 and 1970; 1.8% 1965 to 1968; 1.0% 1960 to 1964; 4.0% 1950 to 1959; 3.7% 1940 to 1949; and 89.5% constructed prior to 1939. Also in 1970 there were 1341 households with one automobile, 409 with two and 62 with three or more. Seven hundred and fifty-three households were listed as having none at all. The median years of education completed in 1970 by persons twenty-five years and older was 13.4 for the total population.

Currently there are 91 eighth through eleventh graders in Wayland which is a part of the Hope High School feeder pattern. Of these 91 students, there are 61 (67.0%) Whites, 2 (2.2%) Blacks and 28 (30.8%) Portuguese and other. With an enrollment of 91, Wayland ranks 21st in total high school student enrollment. At the present time, there are 5 bus routes directly to Central/Classical, but none to Hope or Mount Pleasant.

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A.5 - 1970 CENSUS: PERSONS 25 YEARS OF AGE AND OVER BY RACE AND YEARS OF SCHOOL COMPLETED

LEVEL AND YEARS OF SCHOOL COMPLETED	TOTAL POPULATION		WHITE		BLACK		OTHER	
	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%
NO SCHOOL YEAR COMPLETED	61	1.6	61	1.7	-	-	-	-
ELEMENTARY: 1-4 YEARS	144	3.8	138	3.8	6	25.0	-	-
5-7 YEARS	192	5.1	174	4.7	6	25.0	12	16.9
8 YEARS	239	6.3	239	6.5	-	-	-	-
HIGH SCHOOL: 1-3 YEARS	382	10.1	376	10.2	-	-	6	8.5
4 YEARS	796	21.1	796	21.7	-	-	-	-
COLLEGE: 1-3 YEARS	598	15.9	580	15.8			6	8.5
4 YEARS OR MORE	1356	36.0	1309	35.6	-	-	47	66.2
TOTAL	3768	100.0	3673	100.0	24	100.0	71	100.0

A.6 - 1970 CENSUS: MEDIAN SCHOOL YEARS COMPLETED

TOTAL POPULATION
13.4

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A.3 - 1960, 1970 CENSUS: POPULATION BY RACE AND SPANISH LANGUAGE

YEAR	TOTAL POPULATION	WHITE		NON-WHITE		BLACK		SPANISH LANGUAGE	
		#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%
1960	6059	6018	99.3	41	0.7	36	0.6	N/A	N/A
1970	5702	5535	97.1	167	2.9	60	1.1	87	1.5
1960-1970 Increase (+) Decrease (-)		-483	-8.0	+126	+307.3	+24	+66.7	N/A	N/A
% Change in Proportional Distribution		-2.7		+2.2		+0.5		N/A	

A.4 - 1970 CENSUS: FERTILITY RATIO BY POPULATION	
Total Population	70.7

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B.1 - 1970 CENSUS: NUMBER OF EMPLOYED PERSONS 16 YEARS OLD AND OVER BY OCCUPATION

OCCUPATION	1960[1] TOTAL PERSONS EMPLOYED #	1960[1] TOTAL PERSONS EMPLOYED %	1970 TOTAL PERSONS EMPLOYED #	1970 TOTAL PERSONS EMPLOYED %	1970 WHITE #	1970 WHITE %	1970 BLACK #	1970 BLACK %	1970 SPANISH #	1970 SPANISH %
Professional, Technical and Kindred Workers	719	29.9	1012	38.3	961	37.5	13	50.0	14	100.0
Managers and Administrators Except Farm	371	15.4	263	9.9	263	10.2	-	-	-	-
Sales Workers	242	10.0	228	8.6	228	8.9	-	-	-	-
Clerical and Kindred Workers	378	15.7	472	17.8	457	17.8	7	26.9	-	-
Craftsmen, Foremen and Kindred Workers	226	9.4	134	5.0	134	5.2	-	-	-	-
Operatives, Except Transport	189	7.8	201	7.6	195	7.6	-	-	-	-
Transport Equipment Operatives	27	1.1	95	3.6	95	3.7	-	-	-	-
Laborers, Except Farm	28	1.2	65	2.4	65	2.5	-	-	-	-
Farmers and Farm Managers Farm Laborers and Foremen	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Service Workers, Except Private Household	125	5.2	141	5.3	135	5.2	6	23.1	-	-
Private Household Workers	106	4.4	27	1.0	27	1.0	-	-	-	-
TOTAL	2411	100.0	2638	100.0	2560		26	100.0	14	100.0

[1] 1960 data listed for persons 14 years old and over.

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A.7 - 1970 CENSUS: NATIVITY AND PARENTAGE		
NATIVITY	TOTAL POPULATION	
	#	%
NATIVE OF NATIVE PARENT	3342	58.6
FOREIGN STOCK	2360	41.4
TOTAL	5702	100.0

A.8 - 1970 CENSUS: MOST FREQUENT COUNTRY OF ORIGIN OF FOREIGN STOCK		
COUNTRY OF ORIGIN	# OF PERSONS	% FOREIGN STOCK POPULATION
IRELAND	381	16.1
USSR	240	10.2
CANADA	149	6.3
UNITED KINGDOM	142	6.0

A.9 - 1970 CENSUS: SPANISH POPULATION INDICATORS		
INDICATORS	# OF PERSONS	% OF TOTAL POPULATION
SPANISH LANGUAGE	87	1.5

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B.4 - 1970 CENSUS: EMPLOYMENT STATUS BY RACE OF MALES 16 YEARS AND OVER (CIVILIAN LABOR FORCE)

STATUS	POPULATION		WHITE		BLACK	
	#	%	#	%	#	%
EMPLOYED	1380	98.4	1318	98.4	25	100.0
UNEMPLOYED	22	1.6	22	1.6	0	0.0
TOTAL	1420	100.0	1340	100.0	25	100.0

B.5 - 1970 CENSUS: EMPLOYMENT STATUS BY RACE OF FEMALES 16 YEARS AND OVER (CIVILIAN LABOR FORCE)

STATUS	POPULATION		WHITE		BLACK	
	#	%	#	%	#	%
EMPLOYED	1258	97.7	1242	97.7	7	100.0
UNEMPLOYED	24	2.3	29	2.3	0	0.0
TOTAL	1287	100.0	1271	100.0	7	100.0

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B.2 - 1960 CENSUS: EMPLOYMENT STATUS, MALES 14 YEARS AND OVER (CIVILIAN LABOR FORCE)

STATUS	TOTAL	
	#	%
EMPLOYED	1434	91.8
UNEMPLOYED	128	9.2

B.3 - 1960 CENSUS: EMPLOYMENT STATUS, FEMALES 14 YEARS AND OVER (CIVILIAN LABOR FORCE)

STATUS	TOTAL	
	#	%
EMPLOYED	1444	97.4
UNEMPLOYED	40	2.6

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B.7 - 1970 CENSUS: PERSONS BELOW POVERTY LEVEL		
TOTAL POPULATION		
# PERSONS	% OF NEIGHBORHOOD POPULATION	% OF TOTAL POPULATION OF PROVIDENCE BELOW POVERTY LEVEL
835	14.6	2.6

B.8 - 1970 CENSUS: NUMBER OF RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 IN FAMILIES BELOW POVERTY LEVEL BY RACE								
TOTAL POPULATION			WHITE		BLACK		OTHER	
# PERSONS	% OF NEIGHBORHOOD POPULATION BELOW 18 YEARS	% OF RELATED CHILDREN IN PROVIDENCE UNDER 18 YEARS, BELOW POVERTY LEVEL	#	%	#	%	#	%
106	15.3	1.0	106	100.0	-	-	-	-

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B.6 - 1960, 1970 CENSUS: MEDIAN INCOME

6.1 1960 MEDIAN INCOME [1]

YEAR	ALL FAMILIES AND UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS
1960	$4658

6.2 1970 MEDIAN INCOME

YEAR	ALL FAMILIES	ALL UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS
1970	$11,280	$3,722

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1) 1960 Median Income Data is not disaggregated by families and unrelated individuals.

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C.1 - 1975: TOTAL HOUSING, VACANCY RATE, AND UNITS IN NEED OF SUBSTANTIAL REHABILITATION

Characteristics	Number
Total Housing Units	2971
Vacancy Rate	0.8%
% of Units in Need of Substantial Rehabilitation*	47.8

* The need for "substantial rehabilitation" was determined by the Department of Planning and Urban Development based on a survey which considered structural factors including: Foundation, Exterior Shell, Porches and Stairs, Gutters and Down Spouts, Doors and Windows, Roof and Chimney.

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B.9 - 1972-1977: DECEMBER AFDC CASES

YEAR	NUMBER OF CASES	% OF CASES IN PROVIDENCE
1972	22	0.4
1973	13	0.2
1974	25	0.4
1975	19	0.3
1976	22	0.4
1977	18	0.3

B. 10 - 1970 CENSUS: FAMILIES RECEIVING PUBLIC ASSISTANCE

# FAMILIES RECEIVING PUBLIC ASSISTANCE	% OF ALL FAMILIES IN NEIGHBORHOOD	% OF FAMILIES IN PROVIDENCE RECEIVING PUBLIC ASSISTANCE
-	-	-

B.11 - 1970 CENSUS: UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS RECEIVING PUBLIC ASSISTANCE

# PERSONS	% OF UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS IN NEIGHBORHOOD	% OF TOTAL UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS RECEIVING PUBLIC ASSISTANCE IN PROVIDENCE
1831	32.2	9.9

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C.3 - 1970 CENSUS: AGE OF NEIGHBORHOOD HOUSING AS A PERCENTAGE OF TOTAL NEIGHBORHOOD HOUSING UNITS

AGE OF HOUSING	#	%
1969 TO MARCH 1970	-	-
1965 TO 1968	47	1.8
1960 TO 1964	28	1.0
1950 TO 1959	108	4.0
1940 TO 1949	99	3.7
1939 AND EARLIER	2,404	89.5
TOTAL	2,686	100.0

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C.2 - 1970 CENSUS: UNITS IN STRUCTURE AS A PERCENTAGE OF NEIGHBORHOOD'S HOUSING STRUCTURES

	1970	
NUMBER OF UNITS IN STRUCTURE	#	%
1 (INCLUDES MOBILE HOME/ TRAILER)	519	19.3
2	427	15.9
3 AND 4	584	21.7
5 TO 49	1,106	41.2
50 AND OVER	50	1.9
TOTAL YEAR-ROUND HOUSING UNITS	2,686	100.0

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C.4 - 1960, 1970 CENSUS: HOUSING UNITS BY OWNER AND RENTER

	1960	1970	Net Change 1960-1970
Total Housing Units	2636	2686	+ 50
Owner Occupied	733	642	- 91
Renter Occupied	1782	1923	+ 141
Vacancy Rate	4.5%	4.5%	—

C.5 - 1970 CENSUS: MEDIAN VALUE OR RENT OF OCCUPIED UNITS

STATUS	1970
Median Value	$29,500
Median Rent	$110

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C.6 - 1960, 1970 CENSUS: RENTER-OCCUPIED AS A PERCENTAGE OF NEIGHBORHOOD'S RENTED UNITS

	1960		1970	
	#	%	#	%
Total - Rented Units	1724	100.0	1923	100.0
Less Than $40	-	-	-	-
$40 to $59	40	2.3	38	2.0
$60 to $79	325	18.9	242	12.6
$80 to $99	448	26.0	363	18.9
$100 to $149	421	24.4	789	41.0
$150 and Over	341	19.8	455	23.7
No Cash Rents	149	8.6	36	1.9
Median Rent	$82	-	$119	-

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C. 7 - 1970 CENSUS: VALUE OF OWNER OCCUPIED HOUSING BY HEAD OF HOUSEHOLD

	TOTAL OWNER OCCUPIED UNITS	
SINGLE FAMILY	#	%
Less Than $5,000	0	.0
$5,000 - $7,499	6	1.7
$7,500 - $9,999	6	1.7
$10,000 - $14,999	19	5.3
$15,000 - $19,999	36	10.0
$20,000 - $24,999	61	17.0
$25,000 - $34,999	114	31.7
$35,000 - $49,999	70	19.5
$50,000 and over	47	13.1
TOTAL	359	100.0

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C.8 - 1960, 1970 CENSUS: DENSITY OF RESIDENCE WITHIN HOUSING UNIT

	1960		1970	
	#	%	#	%
TOTAL NUMBER OF OCCUPIED UNITS	2515	100.0	2565	100.0
ROOMS WITH 1.00 PERSONS OR LESS	2452	97.5	2509	97.8
ROOMS WITH 1.01 PERSONS OR MORE	63	2.5	56	2.2
MEDIAN PERSONS PER OCCUPIED UNIT	1.9	-	1.7	-

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C. 9 - 1970 CENSUS: NUMBER OF AUTOMOBILES AVAILABLE BY HOUSEHOLD

Automobiles	# Households
One	1341
Two	409
Three or More	62
None	753

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C. 10 1975 DISTRIBUTION OF LAND USE BY NEIGHBORHOOD

LAND USE CATEGORY	LAND AREA IN SQ. FT.	% OF TOTAL AREA
Undeveloped Land and Water Areas	376,670	3.4
Residential Uses (Total)	5,938,097	54.2
One Family	2,616,517	23.9
Two Family	1,042,079	9.5
Three Family	768,576	7.0
Multi-Family	1,193,577	10.9
Other	317,348	2.9
Manufacturing	80,633	.7
Transportation, Communication and Utilities	439,530	4.0
Trade (Total)	532,243	4.9
Wholesale	--	--
Retail	532,243	4.9
General Services	413,316	3.8
Institutional and Governmental Services (Total)	1,036,777	9.5
Education (Nursery, Primary and Secondary)	284,457	2.6
Educational Services (other)	393,187	3.6
Religious Services	117,757	1.0
Medical and Health Services	71,338	.6
Government	10,019	.1
Other (Service Organizations, Cemeteries, etc.)	160,019	1.5
Cultural, Entertainment, and Recreation Services	2,119,313	19.4
Resource Production and Extraction	--	--
Totals	10,936,579	100.0

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D. 1 - 1966-1974: NET EFFECT OF RESIDENT BIRTHS AND DEATHS

YEAR	BIRTHS	% OF CITY BIRTHS	DEATHS	% OF CITY DEATHS	NET EFFECT
1966	95	2,9	104	3,9	-9
1967	90	2.9	94	3,5	-4
1968	92	3.0	76	2,9	+16
1969	108	3.5	83	3,4	+25
1970	80	2.5	110	4,5	-30
1971	66	2.3	88	3.7	-22
1972	48	1.9	89	3.9	-41
1973	52	2.2	97	4.1	-45
1974	44	2.1	73	3.4	-29
TOTALS	675	-	814	-	-139
5 YR. AVERAGE 1970-74 -	58.0	2.2	91.4	3.9	-33.4

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D.2 - 1970-1974: SELECTED HEALTH INDICES: MORTALITY

	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	5 YEAR AVERAGE
Deaths by Cause						
Malignant Neoplasms	21	15	18	28	14	19.2
Lung	1	3	7	5	1	3.4
Breast	1	1	1	3	1	1.4
Cervix	-	-	-	-	1	0.2
Colon & Rectum	1	2	4	9	4	4.0
Diabetes Mellitus	4	-	2	1	-	1.4
Cadiovascular Disease	71	55	52	52	47	55.4
Heart Disease (All Forms)	46	45	39	41	35	41.2
Myocardial Infarction	19	18	20	19	13	17.8
Chronic Ischemic Heart Dis.	21	18	15	16	16	17.2
Cerebrovascular Disease	17	10	7	9	9	10.4
Respiratory Disease	4	6	2	9	4	5.0
Pneumonia/Influenza	4	3	1	5	3	3.2
Emphysema	-	1	1	1	-	0.6
Gastrointestinal Disease	3	2	4	1	1	2.2
Cirrhosis of the Liver	2	-	2	-	1	1.0
External Causes	4	5	2	3	4	3.6
Motor Vehicle Accidents	-	1	1	-	-	0.4

otal Deaths	110	88	89	97	73	91.4
Mean Age at Death	72.1	77.4	73.3	76.0	75.9	74.8
Infant Deaths	2	1	3	-	2	1.6
Number Age 65 and Over	81	76	74	83	62	75.2

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D.3 - 1970-1974: SELECTED HEALTH INDICIES: NATALITY

INDICIES	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	Five Year Average
LIVE BIRTHS	80	66	48	52	44	58.0
NEWBORNS WEIGHING BELOW 2500 GRAMS (5½ LBS.)	7	-	2	3	3	3.0
BIRTHS TO MOTHERS UNDER AGE 20	4	5	2	3	1	3.0
BIRTHS TO MOTHERS AGE 35 AND OVER	7	5	-	2	1	3.0
BIRTHS OF PARITY GREATER THAN 3	2	4	3	3	3	3.0

D.4 - 1977: ADMISSIONS AND RATE/THOUSAND TO PROVIDENCE MENTAL HEALTH CENTER

ADMISSIONS	RATE/THOUSAND	% OF NEIGHBORHOOD POPULATION
28	4.9	.5

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E.1 - 1972, 1973: FAMILY COURT HEARINGS OTHER THAN WAYWARD/DELINQUENT (MOTOR VEHICLE VIOLATIONS EXCLUDED), MALE AND FEMALE CHILDREN

MALE CHILDREN	1973 # CASES	1973 % CITY CASES	1972 # CASES	1972 % CITY CASES
NEW	4	1.7	-	-
REPEATERS	-	-	-	-
VIOLATORS OF PROBATION	-	-	-	-

FEMALE CHILDREN	1973 # CASES	1973 % CITY CASES	1972 # CASES	1972 % CITY CASES
NEW	1	1.25	1	1.0
REPEATERS	-	-	-	-
VIOLATORS OF PROBATION	-	-	-	-

TOTAL CHILDREN	1973 # CASES	1973 % CITY CASES	1972 # CASES	1972 % CITY CASES
NEW	5	1.6	1	0.3
REPEATERS	-	-	-	-
VIOLATORS OF PROBATION	-	-	-	-

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E.2 - 1972, 1973; NON-JUDICIAL MOTOR VEHICLE VIOLATIONS ONLY

	1973		1972	
MALE CHILDREN	# CASES	% CITY CASES	# CASES	% CITY CASES
NEW	2	2.5	7	8.7
REPEATERS	-	-	-	-
VIOLATORS OF PROBATION	-	-	-	-

	1973		1972	
FEMALE CHILDREN	# CASES	% CITY CASES	# CASES	% CITY CASES
NEW	-	-	-	-
REPEATERS	-	-	-	-
VIOLATORS OF PROBATION	-	-	-	-

	1973		1972	
TOTAL CHILDREN	# CASES	% CITY CASES	# CASES	% CITY CASES
NEW	2	2.2	7	7.6
REPEATERS	-	-	-	-
VIOLATORS OF PROBATION	-	-	-	-

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E.3 - 1972, 1973: NON-JUDICIAL - OTHER THAN WAYWARD/DELINQUENT (MOTOR VEHICLE VIOLATIONS EXCLUDED)

	1973		1972	
MALE CHILDREN	# CASES	% CITY CASES	# CASES	% CITY CASES
NEW	-	-	1	4.5
REPEATERS	-	-	-	-
VIOLATORS OF PROBATION	-	-	-	-

	1973		1972	
FEMALE CHILDREN	# CASES	% CITY CASES	# CASES	% CITY CASES
NEW	-	-	-	-
REPEATERS	-	-	-	-
VIOLATORS OF PROBATION	-	-	-	-

	1973		1972	
TOTAL CHILDREN	# CASES	% CITY CASES	# CASES	% CITY CASES
NEW	-	-	1	3.0
REPEATERS	-	-	-	-
VIOLATORS OF PROBATION	-	-	-	-

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E. 4 - 1972, 1973: HEARINGS - MOTOR VEHICLE VIOLATIONS ONLY

	1973		1972	
MALE CHILDREN	# CASES	% CITY CASES	# CASES	% CITY CASES
NEW	2	3.1	1	1.5
REPEATERS	1	1.7	1	2.0
VIOLATORS OF PROBATION	-	-	-	-

	1973		1972	
FEMALE CHILDREN	# CASES	% CITY CASES	# CASES	% CITY CASES
NEW	-	-	-	-
REPEATERS	-	-	-	-
VIOLATORS OF PROBATION	-	-	-	-

	1973		1972	
TOTAL CHILDREN	# CASES	% CITY CASES	# CASES	% CITY CASES
NEW	2	2.8	1	1.2
REPEATERS	1	1.7	1	1.9
VIOLATORS OF PROBATION	-	-	-	-

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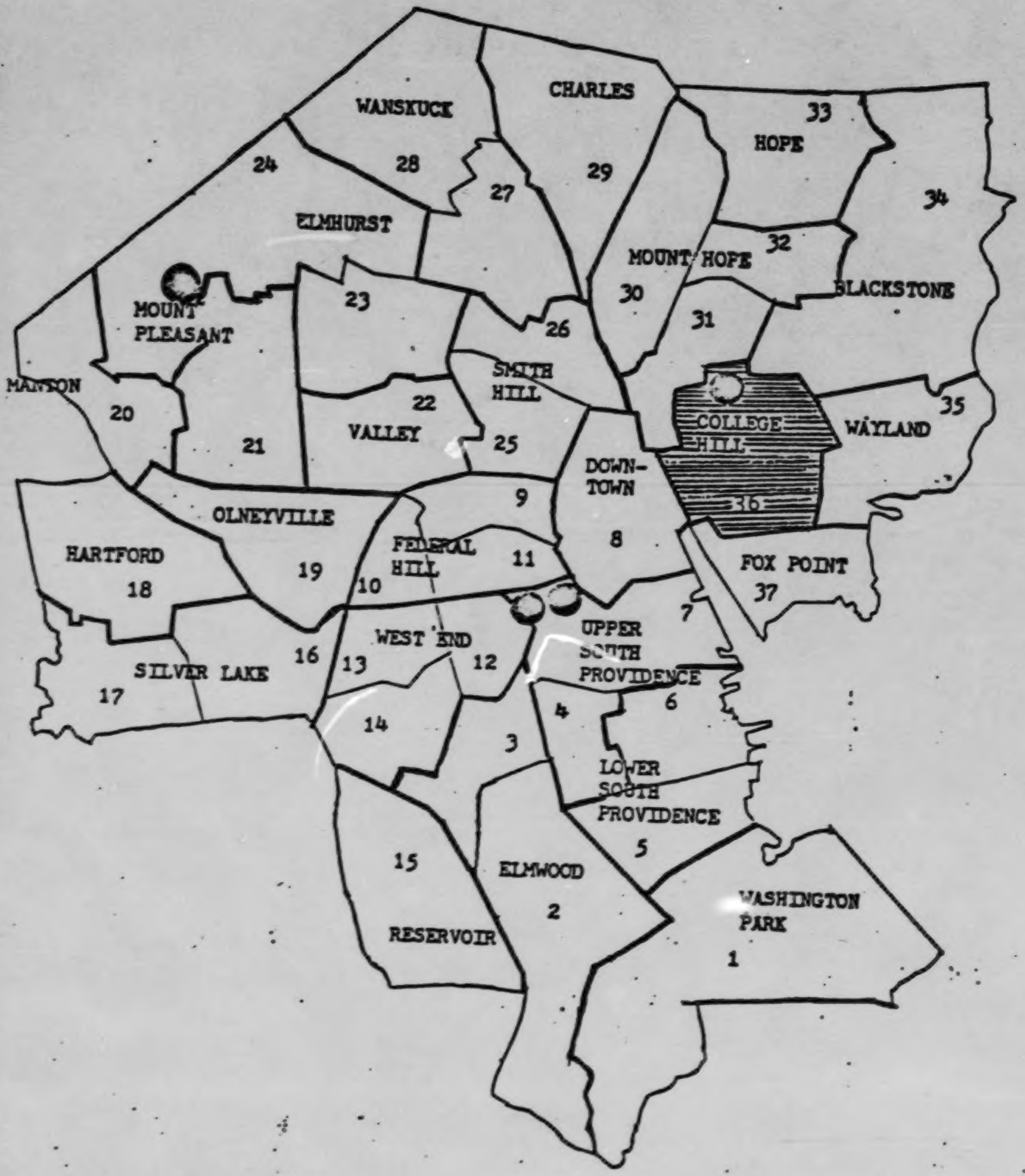
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COLLEGE HILL

The College Hill neighborhood, composed of census tract 36, is located in the eastern portion of the City of Providence. The topography of a steep west-facing hillside has served as a barrier for this neighborhood against commercial expansion from the central city.

Through the center of College Hill runs an east-west corridor of institutional buildings from the Rhode Island School of Design, along Main and Benefit Streets, to Brown University at the crest of the hill. The entire neighborhood is dominated by educational and cultural institutions, with no manufacturing and very little trade.

The residential portions of this area are primarily of the single-family type. Benefit Street, which lies halfway up the hill, possesses the city's strongest concentration of fine eighteenth and nineteenth century domestic architecture.

In 1970, the population of College Hill was 8096 with a racial and ethnic composition of 93.1% white, 4.5% Black and 2.4% Spanish speaking. Between the years of 1960 -1970, there was a net increase of 439 whites, (2.6%), coupled with an increase of 178 (56.0%) non-whites.

In 1970 the total foreign stock population for College Hill numbered 1563. The four most frequent countries of origin were Canada (18.6%), United Kingdom (10.2%), Germany (7.9%), and Italy (6.7%). English is the predominantly spoken language.

Between the years 1960 and 1970 the median income for all families rose from $7,759.00 to $13,456.00, an increase of 171.2%. In 1970, the median income for all unrelated individuals was $1,210.00. In 1960, 1801 (97.0%) of the College Hill male population fourteen years and older was employed in the civilian labor force as opposed to 1156 (93.3%) of the female population. By 1970 the percentage of males sixteen years and older had increased to 2012 (98.1%) and 1440 (97.7%) for the female population. The unemployment rates for 1960 and 1970 were 4.45% and 2.1% respectively.

In 1970, none of the neighborhood's families were receiving public assistance, however, 5770 (25.3%) of all unrelated individuals were. Between the years 1972 and 1977, the number of AFDC recipients changed from 7 to 6 with the neighborhood portion of the number of cases for the City of Providence remaining at 0.1%.

The general housing indicators for College Hill have shown variation between 1960 and 1970. The number of owner occupied units was 503 in 1960 and 456 in 1970. During this same timespan the number of renter occupied units changed from 1544 to 1332 with a vacancy rate decreased from 9.1% to 5.2%. In 1970, the median value of occupied units was $42,400.00 and the median rent was $119.00. In 1975, there were no units in need of substantial rehabilitation in College Hill totalled 1412 (98.9%). Between 1960 and 1970, the total number of rented units increased from 1273 to 1334 with a change in rents from $74.00 to $119.00 In 1970 the breakdown of the age of College Hill housing as a percentage of the number of housing units appeared as follows: 0% built between

1969 and 1970; 0% 1965 to 1968; .9% 1960 to 1964; 2.1% 1950 to 1959; 4.0% 1940 to 1949; and 93.0% constructed prior to 1939. Also in 1970 there were 907 households with one automobile, 306 with two and 74 with three or more. Five hundred and five households were listed as having none at all. The median years of education completed in 1970 by persons twenty-five years and older was 15.3 for the total population.

Currently there are 43 eighth through eleventh graders in College Hill which is a part of the Hope High School pattern. Of these 43 students, there are 37 (86.0%) Whites, 2 (4.7%) Blacks and 4 (9.3%) Hispanic and other. With an enrollment of 43, College Hill ranks 23rd in total student high school enrollment. At the present time, there are 7 bus routes directly to Central/Classical, none to Mt. Pleasant, and 2 to Hope.

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A.1 - 1960, 1975: TOTAL POPULATION BY 5 YEAR INTERVALS

POPULATION	YEAR			
	1960	1965	1970	1975
NUMBER	7,479	7,586	8,096	8,296
% OF TOTAL POPULATION OF PROVIDENCE	3.7	4.2	4.5	5.0

A.2 - 1960, 1970: POPULATION BY WHITE AND NON-WHITE

POPULATION	YEAR	
	1960	1970
WHITE	7,161	7,600
NON-WHITE	318	496

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A.3 - 1960, 1970 CENSUS: POPULATION BY RACE AND SPANISH LANGUAGE

YEAR	TOTAL POPULATION	WHITE		NON-WHITE		BLACK		SPANISH LANGUAGE	
		#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%
1960	7479	7161	95.7	318	4.3	220	2.9	N/A	N/A
1970	8096	7600	93.9	496	6.1	368	4.5	92	1.1
1960-1970 Increase (+) Decrease (-)		+439	+6.1	+178	+56.0	+148	+67.3	N/A	N/A
% Change in Proportional Distribution		-1.8		+1.8		+1.6		N/A	

A.4 - 1970 CENSUS: FERTILITY RATIO BY POPULATION

Total Population	18.6

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A.5 - 1970 CENSUS: PERSONS 25 YEARS OF AGE AND OVER BY RACE AND YEARS OF SCHOOL COMPLETED

LEVEL AND YEARS OF SCHOOL COMPLETED	TOTAL POPULATION		WHITE		BLACK		OTHER	
	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%
NO SCHOOL YEAR COMPLETED	13	0.6	13	0.6	-	-	-	-
ELEMENTARY:								
1-4 YEARS	5	0.2	5	0.2	-	-	-	-
5-7 YEARS	65	2.9	52	2.4	13	32.5	-	-
8 YEARS	58	2.6	54	2.5	4	10.0	-	-
HIGH SCHOOL:								
1-3 YEARS	209	9.5	201	9.4	8	20.0	-	-
4 YEARS	447	20.3	443	20.7	4	10.0	-	-
COLLEGE:								
1-3 YEARS	391	17.7	387	18.1	-	-	4	14.3
4 YEARS OR MORE	1017	46.1	982	46.0	11	27.5	24	85.7
TOTAL	2205	100.0	2137	100.0	40	100.0	28	100.0

A.6 - 1970 CENSUS: MEDIAN SCHOOL YEARS COMPLETED

TOTAL POPULATION
15.3

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A.7 - 1970 CENSUS: NATIVITY AND PARENTAGE		
NATIVITY	TOTAL POPULATION	
	#	%
NATIVE OF NATIVE PARENT	6548	80.7
FOREIGN STOCK	1563	19.3
TOTAL	8111	100.0

A.8 - 1970 CENSUS: MOST FREQUENT COUNTRY OF ORIGIN OF FOREIGN STOCK		
COUNTRY OF ORIGIN	# OF PERSONS	% FOREIGN STOCK POPULATION
CANADA	291	18.6
UNITED KINGDOM	159	10.2
GERMANY	123	7.9
ITALY	105	6.7

A.9 - 1970 CENSUS: SPANISH POPULATION INDICATORS		
INDICATORS	# OF PERSONS	% OF TOTAL POPULATION
SPANISH LANGUAGE	92	1.1

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B.1 - 1970 CENSUS: NUMBER OF EMPLOYED PERSONS 16 YEARS OLD AND OVER BY OCCUPATION

OCCUPATION	1960[1] TOTAL PERSONS EMPLOYED		1970 TOTAL PERSONS EMPLOYED		1970 WHITE		1970 BLACK		1970 SPANISH	
	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%
Professional, Technical and Kindred Workers	880	34.6	956	27.5	915	28.1	15	10.4	26	100.0
Managers and Administrators Except Farm	245	9.6	281	8.1	277	8.5	4	2.7	-	-
Sales Workers	139	5.5	219	6.3	219	6.7	-	-	-	-
Clerical and Kindred Workers	382	15.0	795	23.0	737	22.6	53	37.0	-	-
Craftsmen, Foremen and Kindred Workers	112	4.4	95	2.7	89	2.7	6	4.1	-	-
Operatives, Except Transport	93	3.6	125	3.6	109	3.3	6	4.1	-	-
Transport Equipment Operatives	22	0.9	33	0.9	33	0.9	-	-	-	-
Laborers, Except Farm	32	1.3	93	2.6	81	2.4	7	4.8	-	-
Farmers and Farm Managers Farm Laborers and Foremen	-	-	5	0.1	5	0.1	-	-	-	-
Service Workers, Except Private Household	466	18.3	750	21.7	694	21.3	47	32.8	-	-
Private Household Workers	170	6.7	105	3.0	94	2.8	5	3.4	-	-
TOTAL	2541	100.0	3452	100.0	3253		143		26	100.0

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[1] 1960 data listed for persons 14 years old and over.

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B.2 - 1960 CENSUS: EMPLOYMENT STATUS, MALES 14 YEARS AND OVER (CIVILIAN LABOR FORCE)

STATUS	TOTAL	
	#	%
EMPLOYED	1801	97.0
UNEMPLOYED	54	3.0

B.3 - 1960 CENSUS: EMPLOYMENT STATUS, FEMALES 14 YEARS AND OVER (CIVILIAN LABOR FORCE)

STATUS	TOTAL	
	#	%
EMPLOYED	1156	93.3
UNEMPLOYED	82	6.7

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B.4 - 1970 CENSUS: EMPLOYMENT STATUS BY RACE OF MALES 16 YEARS AND OVER (CIVILIAN LABOR FORCE)

STATUS	POPULATION		WHITE		BLACK	
	#	%	#	%	#	%
EMPLOYED	2012	98.1	1926	98.1	58	100.0
UNEMPLOYED	38	1.9	38	1.9	0	0.0
TOTAL	2050	100.0	1964	100.0	58	100.0

B.5 - 1970 CENSUS: EMPLOYMENT STATUS BY RACE OF FEMALES 16 YEARS AND OVER (CIVILIAN LABOR FORCE)

STATUS	POPULATION		WHITE		BLACK	
	#	%	#	%	#	%
EMPLOYED	1440	97.7	1327	97.6	85	100.0
UNEMPLOYED	33	2.3	33	2.4	0	0.0
TOTAL	1473	100.0	1360	100.0	85	100.0

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B.6 - 1960, 1970 CENSUS: MEDIAN INCOME

6.1 1960 MEDIAN INCOME [1]

YEAR	ALL FAMILIES AND UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS
1960	$992

6.2 1970 MEDIAN INCOME

YEAR	ALL FAMILIES	ALL UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS
1970	$13,456	$1,210

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1) 1960 Median Income Data is not disaggregated by families and unrelated individuals.

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B.7 - 1970 CENSUS: PERSONS BELOW POVERTY LEVEL

TOTAL POPULATION		
# PERSONS	% OF NEIGHBORHOOD POPULATION	% OF TOTAL POPULATION OF PROVIDENCE BELOW POVERTY LEVEL
1635	20.2	5.1

B.8 - 1970 CENSUS: NUMBER OF RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 IN FAMILIES BELOW POVERTY LEVEL BY RACE

TOTAL POPULATION			WHITE		BLACK		OTHER	
# PERSONS	% OF NEIGHBORHOOD POPULATION BELOW 18 YEARS	% OF RELATED CHILDREN IN PROVIDENCE UNDER 18 YEARS, BELOW POVERTY LEVEL	#	%	#	%	#	%
38	5.5	0.3	38	100.0	-	-	-	-

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B.9 - 1972-1977: DECEMBER AFDC CASES

YEAR	NUMBER OF CASES	% OF CASES IN PROVIDENCE
1972	7	0.1
1973	6	0.1
1974	7	0.1
1975	6	0.1
1976	6	0.1
1977	6	0.1

B. 10 - 1970 CENSUS: FAMILIES RECEIVING PUBLIC ASSISTANCE

# FAMILIES RECEIVING PUBLIC ASSISTANCE	% OF ALL FAMILIES IN NEIGHBORHOOD	% OF FAMILIES IN PROVIDENCE RECEIVING PUBLIC ASSISTANCE
-	-	-

B.11 - 1970 CENSUS: UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS RECEIVING PUBLIC ASSISTANCE

# PERSONS	% OF UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS IN NEIGHBORHOOD	% OF TOTAL UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS RECEIVING PUBLIC ASSISTANCE IN PROVIDENCE
5770	25.3	31.2

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C.1 - 1975: TOTAL HOUSING, VACANCY RATE, AND UNITS IN NEED OF SUBSTANTIAL REHABILITATION

Characteristics	Number
Total Housing Units	1427
Vacancy Rate	0.7%
% of Units in Need of Substantial Rehabilitation *	0.0

* The need for "substantial rehabilitation" was determined by the Department of Planning and Urban Development based on a survey which considered structural factors including: Foundation, Exterior Shell, Porches and Stairs, Gutters and Down Spouts, Doors and Windows, Roof and Chimney.

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C.2 - 1970 CENSUS: UNITS IN STRUCTURE AS A PERCENTAGE OF NEIGHBORHOOD'S HOUSING STRUCTURES

	1970	
NUMBER OF UNITS IN STRUCTURE	#	%
1 (INCLUDES MOBILE HOME/ TRAILER)	486	25.7
2	269	14.2
3 AND 4	329	17.4
5 TO 49	664	35.2
50 AND OVER	141	7.5
TOTAL YEAR-ROUND HOUSING UNITS	1,889	100.0

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C.3 - 1970 CENSUS: AGE OF NEIGHBORHOOD HOUSING AS A PERCENTAGE OF TOTAL NEIGHBORHOOD HOUSING UNITS

AGE OF HOUSING	#	%
1969 TO MARCH 1970	–	–
1965 TO 1968	–	–
1960 TO 1964	17	.9
1950 TO 1959	39	2.1
1940 TO 1949	76	4.0
1939 AND EARLIER	1,757	93.0
TOTAL	1,889	100.0

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C.4 - 1960, 1970 CENSUS: HOUSING UNITS BY OWNER AND RENTER

	1960	1970	Net Change 1960-1970
Total Housing Units	2047	1888	- 159
Owner Occupied	503	456	- 47
Renter Occupied	1544	1332	- 212
Vacancy Rate	9.1%	5.2%	- 42.9%

C.5 - 1970 CENSUS: MEDIAN VALUE OR RENT OF OCCUPIED UNITS

STATUS	1970
Median Value	$42,400
Median Rent	$105

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C.6 - 1960, 1970 CENSUS: RENTER-OCCUPIED AS A PERCENTAGE OF NEIGHBORHOOD'S RENTER UNITS

	1960		1970	
	#	%	#	%
Total - Rented Units	1273	-	1334	100.0
Less Than $40	12	0.9	-	-
$40 to $59	139	10.9	25	1.9
$60 to $79	267	21.0	174	13.0
$80 to $99	336	26.4	198	14.9
$100 to $149	251	19.7	495	37.1
$150 and Over	186	14.6	352	26.4
No Cash Rents	82	6.4	90	6.7
Median Rent	$74	-	$119	-

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C. 7 - 1970 CENSUS: VALUE OF OWNER OCCUPIED HOUSING BY HEAD OF HOUSEHOLD

SINGLE FAMILY	TOTAL OWNER OCCUPIED UNITS #	%
Less Than $5,000	0	.0
$5,000 - $7,499	1	.3
$7,500 - $9,999	2	.6
$10,000 - $14,999	13	4.1
$15,000 - $19,999	19	6.0
$20,000 - $24,999	28	8.8
$25,000 - $34,999	54	17.0
$35,000 - $49,999	84	26.5
$50,000 and over	116	36.6
TOTAL	317	100.0

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C.8 - 1960, 1970 CENSUS: DENSITY OF RESIDENCE WITHIN HOUSING UNIT

	1960		1970	
	#	%	#	%
TOTAL NUMBER OF OCCUPIED UNITS	1877	100.0	1788	100.0
ROOMS WITH 1.00 PERSONS OR LESS	1843	98.2	1740	97.3
ROOMS WITH 1.01 PERSONS OR MORE	34	1.8	48	2.7
MEDIAN PERSONS PER OCCUPIED UNIT	1.2	-	1.7	-

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C. 9 - 1970 CENSUS: NUMBER OF AUTOMOBILES AVAILABLE BY HOUSEHOLD

Automobiles	# Households
One	907
Two	306
Three or More	74
None	505

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C. 10 1975 DISTRIBUTION OF LAND USE BY NEIGHBORHOOD

LAND USE CATEGORY	LAND AREA IN SQ. FT.	% OF TOTAL AREA
Undeveloped Land and Water Areas	330,543	2.4
Residential Uses (Total)	5,489,964	40.4
One Family	2,817,709	20.7
Two Family	741,434	5.5
Three Family	526,851	3.8
Multi-Family	730,448	5.4
Other	673,522	4.9
Manufacturing	--	--
Transportation, Communication and Utilities	452,933	3.3
Trade (Total)	174,789	1.3
Wholesale	--	--
Retail	174,789	1.3
General Services	337,087	2.5
Institutional and Governmental Services (Total)	4,518,227	33.3
Education (Nursery, Primary and Secondary)	1,636,682	12.0
Educational Services (other)	2,353,061	17.3
Religious Services	187,591	1.4
Medical and Health Services	74,869	.5
Government	105,696	.8
Other (Service Organizations, Cemeteries, etc.)	160,328	1.2
Cultural, Entertainment, and Recreation Services	2,274,241	16.7
Resource Production and Extraction	--	--
Totals	13,577,784	100.0

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D. 1 - 1966-1974: NET EFFECT OF RESIDENT BIRTHS AND DEATHS

YEAR	BIRTHS	% OF CITY BIRTHS	DEATHS	% OF CITY DEATHS	NET EFFECT
1966	45	1.4	50	1.9	-5
1967	43	1.4	56	2.1	-13
1968	42	1.3	49	1.8	-7
1969	38	1.2	63	2.6	-25
1970	44	1.4	42	1.7	+2
1971	44	1.5	47	2.0	-3
1972	24	.96	53	2.3	-29
1973	19	.80	44	1.9	-25
1974	20	.94	38	1.8	-18
TOTALS	319	-	442	-	-123
5 YR. AVERAGE 1970-74	30.2	1.1	44.8	1.9	-14.6

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D.2 - 1970-1974: SELECTED HEALTH INDICES: MORTALITY

	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	5 YEAR AVERAGE
Deaths by Cause						
Malignant Neoplasms	4	8	6	8	9	7.0
Lung	1	2	-	1	1	1.0
Breast	-	2	1	2	2	1.4
Cervix	-	-	-	-	-	-
Colon & Rectum	-	-	2	3	3	1.6
Diabetes Mellitus	1	-	-	1	-	0.4
Cadiovascular Disease	31	32	37	27	22	29.8
Heart Disease (All Forms)	17	23	29	19	17	21.0
Myocardial Infarction	5	8	12	5	7	7.4
Chronic Ischemic Heart Dis.	10	10	13	11	8	10.4
Cerebrovascular Disease	12	5	6	6	3	6.4
Respiratory Disease	-	3	3	2	2	2.0
Pneumonia/Influenza	-	2	3	1	1	1.4
Emphysema	-	-	-	-	-	-
Gastrointestinal Disease	-	1	2	2	1	1.2
Cirrhosis of the Liver	-	1	1	-	1	0.6
External Causes	1	-	2	3	3	1.8
Motor Vehicle Accidents	-	-	1	-	1	0.4

Total Deaths	42	47	53	44	38	44.8
Mean Age at Death	75.2	73.8	74.2	77.0	76.3	75.2
Infant Deaths	1	1	-	-	1	0.6
Number Age 65 and Over	36	38	43	35	31	36.6

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D.3 - 1970-1974: SELECTED HEALTH INDICIES: NATALITY

INDICIES	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	Five Year Average
LIVE BIRTHS	44	44	24	19	20	30.2
NEWBORNS WEIGHING BELOW 2500 GRAMS (5½ LBS.)	4	3	-	1	4	2.4
BIRTHS TO MOTHERS UNDER AGE 20	2	4	2	1	-	1.8
BIRTHS TO MOTHERS AGE 35 AND OVER	4	1	1	1	2	1.8
BIRTHS OF PARITY GREATER THAN 3	4	2	1	-	1	1.6

D.4 - 1977: ADMISSIONS AND RATE/THOUSAND TO PROVIDENCE MENTAL HEALTH CENTER

ADMISSIONS	RATE/THOUSAND	% OF NEIGHBORHOOD POPULATION
29	3.6	0.4

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E.1 - 1972, 1973: FAMILY COURT HEARINGS OTHER THAN WAYWARD/DELINQUENT (MOTOR VEHICLE VIOLATIONS EXCLUDED), MALE AND FEMALE CHILDREN

	1973		1972	
MALE CHILDREN	# CASES	% CITY CASES	# CASES	% CITY CASES
NEW	-	-	2	0.7
REPEATERS	3	0.9	-	-
VIOLATORS OF PROBATION	-	-	-	-

	1973		1972	
FEMALE CHILDREN	# CASES	% CITY CASES	# CASES	% CITY CASES
NEW	-	-	-	-
REPEATERS	-	-	-	-
VIOLATORS OF PROBATION	-	-	-	-

	1973		1972	
TOTAL CHILDREN	# CASES	% CITY CASES	# CASES	% CITY CASES
NEW	-	-	2	0.5
REPEATERS	3	0.8	-	-
VIOLATORS OF PROBATION	-	-	-	-

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E. 2 - 1972, 1973: NON-JUDICIAL MOTOR VEHILCE VIOLATIONS ONLY

MALE CHILDREN	1973 # CASES	1973 % CITY CASES	1972 # CASES	1972 % CITY CASES
NEW	1	1.2	1	1.2
REPEATERS	-	-	-	-
VIOLATORS OF PROBATION	-	-	-	-

FEMALE CHILDREN	1973 # CASES	1973 % CITY CASES	1972 # CASES	1972 % CITY CASES
NEW	-	-	1	9.0
REPEATERS	-	-	-	-
VIOLATORS OF PROBATION	-	-	-	-

TOTAL CHILDREN	1973 # CASES	1973 % CITY CASES	1972 # CASES	1972 % CITY CASES
NEW	1	1.1	2	2.1
REPEATERS	-	-	-	-
VIOLATORS OF PROBATION	-	-	-	-

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E.3 - 1972, 1973: NON-JUDICIAL - OTHER THAN WAYWARD/DELINQUENT (MOTOR VEHICLE VIOATIONS EXCLUDED)

MALE CHILDREN	1973 # CASES	% CITY CASES	1972 # CASES	% CITY CASES
NEW	-	-	-	-
REPEATERS	-	-	-	-
VIOLATORS OF PROBATION	-	-	-	-

FEMALE CHILDREN	1973 # CASES	% CITY CASES	1972 # CASES	% CITY CASES
NEW	-	-	-	-
REPEATERS	-	-	-	-
VIOLATORS OF PROBATION	-	-	-	-

TOTAL CHILDREN	1973 # CASES	% CITY CASES	1972 # CASES	% CITY CASES
NEW	-	-	-	-
REPEATERS	-	-	-	-
VIOLATORS OF PROBATION	-	-	-	-

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E. 4 - 1972, 1973: HEARINGS - MOTOR VEHICLE VIOLATIONS ONLY

MALE CHILDREN	1973		1972	
	# CASES	% CITY CASES	# CASES	% CITY CASES
NEW	-	-	1	1.4
REPEATERS	-	-	-	-
VIOLATORS OF PROBATION	-	-	-	-

FEMALE CHILDREN	1973		1972	
	# CASES	% CITY CASES	# CASES	% CITY CASES
NEW	1	14.2	-	-
REPEATERS	-	-	-	-
VIOLATORS OF PROBATION	-	-	-	-

TOTAL CHILDREN	1973		1972	
	# CASES	% CITY CASES	# CASES	% CITY CASES
NEW	1	1.3	1	1.2
REPEATERS	-	-	-	-
VIOLATORS OF PROBATION	-	-	-	-

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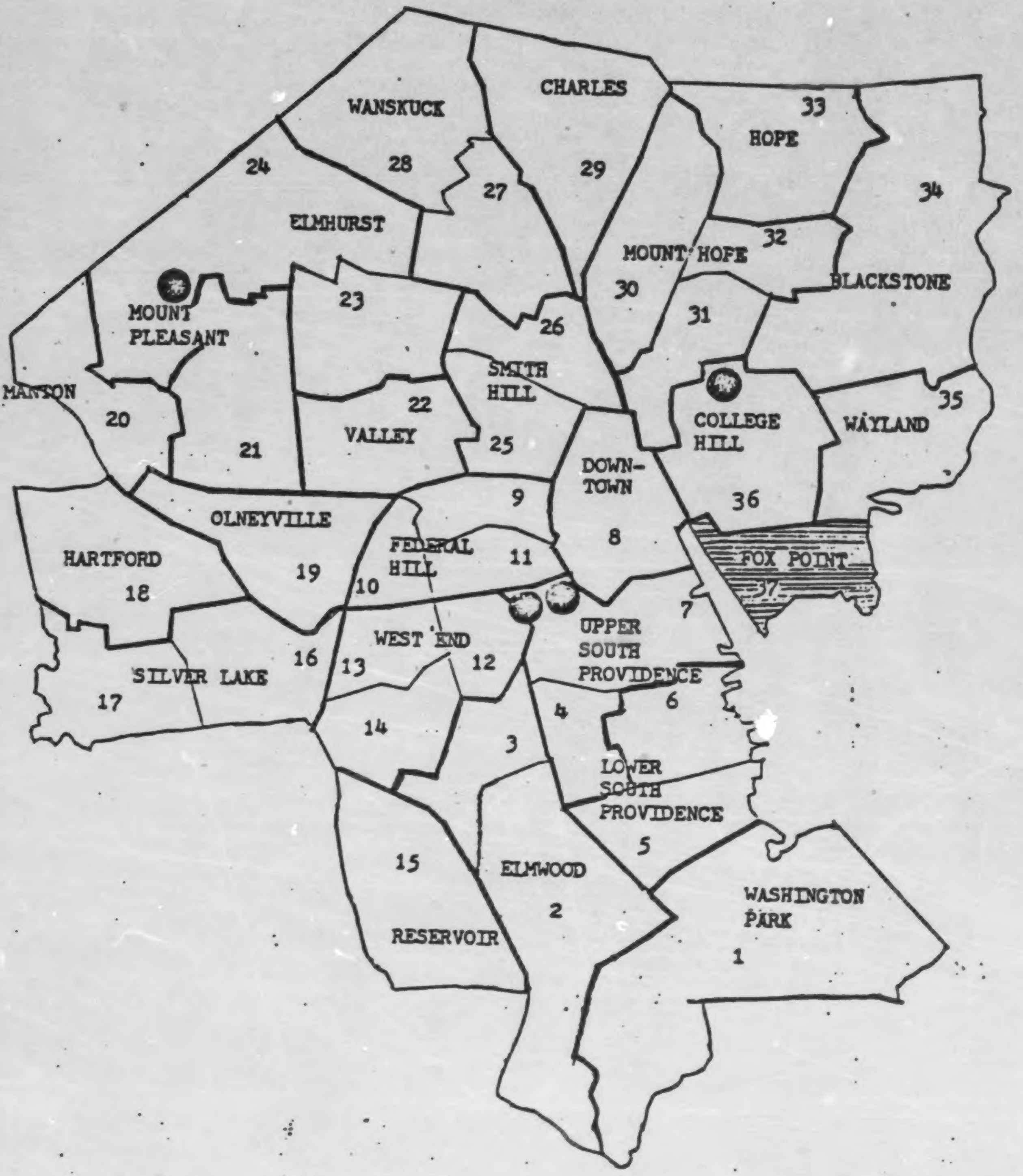
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The Fox Point neighborhood, composed of census tract 37, is located on the eastern edge of Providence. It is bounded on the north by Pitman and Williams Street, on the south and west by the Providence Harbor, and on the east by the Seekonk River.

Wickenden Street is the major east-west artery, and is the area's primary commercial area. Retail stores are also situated along Ives Street, and in scattered spots throughout the neighborhood. Fox Point, however, is primarily a residential area. The houses on narrow streets that parallel Wickenden are small or medium-sized dwellings that have sheltered several waves of immigrants to Providence. Many of those coming to this neighborhood have followed maritime occupations connected with the adjoining waterfront. The Portuguese established the major foothold in Fox Point such that today their presence is quite strongly felt.

In 1970, the population of Fox Point was 4946 with a racial and ethnic composition of 88.4% White, 9.5% Black and 2.1% Spanish speaking. Between the years of 1960-1970, there was a net decrease of 368 whites (7.7%) coupled with a decrease of 484 (46.4%) non-whites. The total foreign stock population for Fox Point numbered 2798, with the most frequent countries of origin being Ireland (4.1%), Canada (3.1%), United Kingdom (1.9%), Italy (1.5%), and a large proportion of "other and not reported."* English is the predominantly spoken language.

Between the years 1960 and 1970 the median income for all families rose from $4,447 to $8,050, an increase of 81.0%. In 1970, the median income for all unrelated individuals was $2,686.00. In 1960, 1326 (89.6%) of the Fox Point male population fourteen years and older was employed in the civilian labor force as opposed to 1012 (94.5%) of the female population. By 1970 the percentage of males sixteen years and older had increased to 1350 (98.0%), and 1086 (95.7%) for the female population. The unemployment rates for 1960 and 1970 were 7.85% and 3.15% respectively.

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* The 1970 United States Census figures do not indicate how many of the residents of the neighborhood are of Portuguese foreign stock. This group is included in the residual category labeled "Other and Not Reported", and their exact number cannot be determined. Calculations based on school enrollment data, however, indicate that approximately 68% of the Fox Point residents are of Portuguese extraction.

In 1970, 14 (1.14%) of the neighborhood's families were receiving public assistance as were 771 (42.5%) of all unrelated individuals. Between the years 1972 and 1977, the number of AFDC recipients changed from 55 to 55 which corresponds to 1.0% and 0.9% of the number of cases for the City of Providence.

The general housing indicators for Fox Point have shown variation between 1960 and 1970. The number of owner occupied units was 453 in 1960 and 420 in 1970. During this same timespan, the number of renter occupied units changed from 1463 to 1308 with a vacancy rate decrease from 8.3% to 7.6%. In 1970, the median value of occupied units was $14,800.00 and the median rent was $94.00. In 1975, the number of units in need of substantial rehabilitation totalled 1225 (72.5%). Between 1960 and 1970, the total number of rented units decreased from 1438 to 1308 with a change in rents from $52.00 to $94.00. In 1970 the breakdown of the age of Fox Point housing as a percentage of the number of housing units appeared as follows: 0.7% built between 1969 and 1970; 0.9% 1965 to 1968; 0.8% 1960 to 1964; 1.2% 1950 to 1959; 4.3% 1940 to 1949; and 92.9% constructed prior to 1939. Also in 1970 there were 975 households with one automobile, 192 with two and 25 with three or more. Five hundred fifty-one households were listed as having none at all. The median years of education completed in 1970 by persons twenty-five years and older was 9.0 for the total population.

Currently there are 157 eighth through eleventh graders in Fox Point which is a part of the Hope High School feeder pattern. Of these 157 students, there are 30 (19.1%) Whites, 19 (12.1%) Blacks, 101 (64.4%) Portuguese and (4.4%) Hispanic and other. With an enrollment of 157 Fox Point ranks 17th in total high school student enrollment. At the present time, there are 3 bus routes directly to Central/Classical, with none going to Hope or Mount Pleasant.

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A.1 - 1960, 1975: TOTAL POPULATION BY 5 YEAR INTERVALS				
POPULATION	YEAR			
	1960	1965	1970	1975
NUMBER	5,848	4,735	4,996	5,181
% OF TOTAL POPULATION OF PROVIDENCE	2.9	2.6	2.8	3.1

A.2 - 1960,-1970: POPULATION BY WHITE AND NON-WHITE		
POPULATION	YEAR	
	1960	1970
WHITE	4,805	4,437
NON-WHITE	1,043	559

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A.3 - 1960, 1970 CENSUS: POPULATION BY RACE AND SPANISH LANGUAGE

YEAR	TOTAL POPULATION	WHITE		NON-WHITE		BLACK		SPANISH LANGUAGE	
		#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%
1960	5848	4805	82.2	1043	17.8	1032	17.6	N/A	N/A
1970	4996	4437	88.8	559	11.2	474	9.5	N/A	N/A
1960-1970 Increase (+) Decrease (-)		-368	-7.7	-484	-46.4	-558	-54.1	N/A	N/A
% Change in Proportional Distribution		+6.6		-6.6		-8.1		N/A	

A.4 - 1970 CENSUS: FERTILITY RATIO BY POPULATION

Total Population	80.3

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A.5 - 1970 CENSUS: PERSONS 25 YEARS OF AGE AND OVER BY RACE AND YEARS OF SCHOOL COMPLETED

LEVEL AND YEARS OF SCHOOL COMPLETED	TOTAL POPULATION		WHITE		BLACK		OTHER	
	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%
NO SCHOOL YEAR COMPLETED	328	11.3	315	12.4	6	2.1	7	10.6
ELEMENTARY: 1-4 YEARS	401	13.8	389	15.3	12	4.2	-	-
5-7 YEARS	446	15.4	399	15.7	47	16.5	-	-
8 YEARS	280	9.7	268	10.5	12	4.2	-	-
HIGH SCHOOL: 1-3 YEARS	553	19.1	419	16.5	123	43.3	11	16.7
4 YEARS	342	11.8	252	9.9	84	29.6	6	9.1
COLLEGE: 1-3 YEARS	158	5.5	158	6.2	-	-	-	-
4 YEARS OR MORE	384	13.3	342	13.5	-	-	42	63.6
TOTAL	2892	100.0	2542	100.0	284	100.0	66	100.0

A.6 - 1970 CENSUS: MEDIAN SCHOOL YEARS COMPLETED

TOTAL POPULATION
9.0

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A.7 - 1970 CENSUS: NATIVITY AND PARENTAGE

NATIVITY	TOTAL POPULATION	
	#	%
NATIVE OF NATIVE PARENT	2210	44.1
FOREIGN STOCK	2798	55.9
TOTAL	5008	100.0

A.8 - 1970 CENSUS: MOST FREQUENT COUNTRY OF ORIGIN OF FOREIGN STOCK

COUNTRY OF ORIGIN	# OF PERSONS	% FOREIGN STOCK POPULATION
IRELAND	116	4.1
CANADA	88	3.1
UNITED KINGDOM	53	1.9
ITALY	42	1.5

*Other and unreported (predominently Portuguese)- 2435

A.9 - 1970 CENSUS: SPANISH POPULATION INDICATORS

INDICATORS	# OF PERSONS	% OF TOTAL POPULATION
SPANISH LANGUAGE	N/A	N/A

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B.1 - 1970 CENSUS: NUMBER OF EMPLOYED PERSONS 16 YEARS OLD AND OVER BY OCCUPATION

OCCUPATION	1960[1]		1970							
	TOTAL PERSONS EMPLOYED		TOTAL PERSONS EMPLOYED		WHITE		BLACK		SPANISH	
	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%
Professional, Technical and Kindred Workers	244	10.9	448	18.3	392	17.9	7	3.7	-	-
Managers and Administrators Except Farm	66	2.9	55	2.2	55	2.5	-	-	-	-
Sales Workers	100	4.5	94	3.8	79	3.6	15	8.0	-	-
Clerical and Kindred Workers	206	9.2	276	11.3	236	10.8	40	21.4	-	-
Craftsmen, Foremen and Kindred Workers	213	9.5	147	6.0	130	5.9	17	9.1	-	-
Operatives, Except Transport	850	37.9	872	35.7	833	38.1	26	13.9	-	-
Transport Equipment Operatives	53	2.4	84	3.4	70	3.2	14	7.5	-	-
Laborers, Except Farm	199	8.9	65	2.6	58	2.6	7	3.7	-	-
Farmers and Farm Managers	-	-	4	0.1	4	1.8	-	-	-	-
Farm Laborers and Foremen										
Service Workers, Except Private Household	265	11.8	326	13.3	265	12.1	61	32.6	-	-
Private Household Workers	42	1.9	65	2.6	65	3.0	-	-	-	-
TOTAL	2238	100.0	2436	100.0	2187		187		-	-

[1] 1960 data listed for persons 14 years old and over.

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B.2 - 1960 CENSUS: EMPLOYMENT STATUS, MALES 14 YEARS AND OVER (CIVILIAN LABOR FORCE)

STATUS	TOTAL	
	#	%
EMPLOYED	1326	89.6
UNEMPLOYED	153	10.4

B.3 - 1960 CENSUS: EMPLOYMENT STATUS, FEMALES 14 YEARS AND OVER (CIVILIAN LABOR FORCE)

STATUS	TOTAL	
	#	%
EMPLOYED	1012	94.5
UNEMPLOYED	58	5.5

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B.4 - 1970 CENSUS: EMPLOYMENT STATUS BY RACE OF MALES 16 YEARS AND OVER (CIVILIAN LABOR FORCE)

STATUS	POPULATION		WHITE		BLACK	
	#	%	#	%	#	%
EMPLOYED	1350	98.0	1163	97.7	130	100.0
UNEMPLOYED	27	2.0	37	2.3	0	0.0
TOTAL	1377	100.0	1190	100.0	130	100.0

B.5 - 1970 CENSUS: EMPLOYMENT STATUS BY RACE OF FEMALES 16 YEARS AND OVER (CIVILIAN LABOR FORCE)

STATUS	POPULATION		WHITE		BLACK	
	#	%	#	%	#	%
EMPLOYED	1086	95.7	1024	95.4	57	100.0
UNEMPLOYED	49	4.3	49	4.6	0	0.0
TOTAL	1135	100.0	1073	100.0	57	100.0

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B.6 - 1960, 1970 CENSUS: MEDIAN INCOME

6.1 1960 MEDIAN INCOME [1]

YEAR	ALL FAMILIES AND UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS
1960	$3611

6.2 1970 MEDIAN INCOME

YEAR	ALL FAMILIES	ALL UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS
1970	$8,050	$2,686

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1) 1960 Median Income Data is not disaggregated by families and unrelated individuals.

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B.7 - 1970 CENSUS: PERSONS BELOW POVERTY LEVEL

TOTAL POPULATION		
# PERSONS	% OF NEIGHBORHOOD POPULATION	% OF TOTAL POPULATION OF PROVIDENCE BELOW POVERTY LEVEL
950	19.0	2.9

B.8 - 1970 CENSUS: NUMBER OF RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 IN FAMILIES BELOW POVERTY LEVEL BY RACE

TOTAL POPULATION			WHITE		BLACK		OTHER	
# PERSONS	% OF NEIGHBORHOOD POPULATION BELOW 18 YEARS	% OF RELATED CHILDREN IN PROVIDENCE UNDER 18 YEARS, BELOW POVERTY LEVEL	#	%	#	%	#	%
279	20.0	2.5	272	97.5	7	2.5	-	-

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B.9 - 1972-1977: DECEMBER AFDC CASES

YEAR	NUMBER OF CASES	% OF CASES IN PROVIDENCE
1972	55	1.0
1973	46	0.8
1974	46	0.8
1975	48	0.8
1976	44	0.8
1977	55	0.9

B. 10 - 1970 CENSUS: FAMILIES RECEIVING PUBLIC ASSISTANCE

# FAMILIES RECEIVING PUBLIC ASSISTANCE	% OF ALL FAMILIES IN NEIGHBORHOOD	% OF FAMILIES IN PROVIDENCE RECEIVING PUBLIC ASSISTANCE
14	.7	1.14

B.11 - 1970 CENSUS: UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS RECEIVING PUBLIC ASSISTANCE

# PERSONS	% OF UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS IN NEIGHBORHOOD	% OF TOTAL UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS RECEIVING PUBLIC ASSISTANCE IN PROVIDENCE
771	42.5	4.8

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C.1 - 1975: TOTAL HOUSING, VACANCY RATE, AND UNITS IN NEED OF SUBSTANTIAL REHABILITATION

Characteristics	Number
Total Housing Units	1690
Vacancy Rate	2.0%
% of Units in Need of Substantial Rehabilitation*	72.5

* The need for "substantial rehabilitation" was determined by the Department of Planning and Urban Development based on a survey which considered structural factors including: Foundation, Exterior Shell, Porches and Stairs, Gutters and Down Spouts, Doors and Windows, Roof and Chimney.

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C.2 - 1970 CENSUS: UNITS IN STRUCTURE AS A PERCENTAGE OF NEIGHBORHOOD'S HOUSING STRUCTURES

	1970	
NUMBER OF UNITS IN STRUCTURE	#	%
1 (INCLUDES MOBILE HOME/ TRAILER)	196	10.4
2	530	28.2
3 AND 4	868	46.1
5 TO 49	287	15.3
50 AND OVER	0	.0
TOTAL YEAR-ROUND HOUSING UNITS	1,881	100.0

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C.3 - 1970 CENSUS: AGE OF NEIGHBORHOOD HOUSING AS A PERCENTAGE OF TOTAL NEIGHBORHOOD HOUSING UNITS

AGE OF HOUSING	#	%
1969 TO MARCH 1970	14	0.7
1965 TO 1968	17	0.9
1960 TO 1964	16	0.8
1950 TO 1959	22	1.2
1940 TO 1949	81	4.3
1939 AND EARLIER	1,731	92.0
TOTAL	1,881	100.0

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C.4 - 1960, 1970 CENSUS: HOUSING UNITS BY OWNER AND RENTER .

	1960	1970	Net Change 1960-1970
Total Housing Units	2090	1870	- 220
Owner Occupied	453	420	- 33
Renter Occupied	1463	1308	- 155
Vacancy Rate	8.3%	7.6%	- 8.4%

C. 5 - 1970 CENSUS: MEDIAN VALUE OR RENT OF OCCUPIED UNITS

STATUS	1970
Median Value	$14,800
Median Rent	$54

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C.6 - 1960, 1970 CENSUS: RENTER-OCCUPIED AS A PERCENTAGE OF NEIGHBORHOOD'S RENTED UNITS

	1960		1970	
	#	%	#	%
Total - Rented Units	1438	100.0	1308	100.0
Less Than $40	27	1.9	29	2.2
$40 to $59	327	22.7	144	11.0
$60 to $79	612	42.6	235	17.9
$80 to $99	304	21.1	298	22.8
$100 to $149	112	7.8	350	26.8
$150 and Over	41	2.9	185	14.1
No Cash Rents	15	3.6	67	5.1
Median Rent	$52	-	$94	-

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C. 7 - 1970 CENSUS: VALUE OF OWNER OCCUPIED HOUSING BY HEAD OF HOUSEHOLD

SINGLE FAMILY	TOTAL OWNER OCCUPIED UNITS	
	#	%
Less Than $5,000	4	3.4
$5,000 - $7,499	7	6.0
$7,500 - $9,999	11	9.5
$10,000 - $14,999	37	31.9
$15,000 - $19,999	11	9.5
$20,000 - $24,999	8	6.9
$25,000 - $34,999	10	8.6
$35,000 - $49,999	11	9.5
$50,000 and over	17	14.7
TOTAL	116	100.0

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C.8 - 1960, 1970 CENSUS: DENSITY OF RESIDENCE WITHIN HOUSING UNIT

	1960		1970	
	#	%	#	%
TOTAL NUMBER OF OCCUPIED UNITS	1916	100.0	1728	100.0
ROOMS WITH 1.00 PERSONS OR LESS	1687	88.0	1565	90.6
ROOMS WITH 1.01 PERSONS OR MORE	229	12.0	163	9.4
MEDIAN PERSONS PER OCCUPIED UNIT	2.6	-	2.4	-

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C. 9 - 1970 CENSUS: NUMBER OF AUTOMOBILES AVAILABLE BY HOUSEHOLD

Automobiles	# Households
One	975
Two	192
Three or More	25
None	551

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C. 10 1975 DISTRIBUTION OF LAND USE BY NEIGHBORHOOD

LAND USE CATEGORY	LAND AREA IN SQ. FT.	% OF TOTAL AREA
Undeveloped Land and Water Areas	747,030	13.7
Residential Uses (Total)	2,766,958	50.9
One Family	540,880	9.9
Two Family	815,806	15.0
Three Family	624,675	11.5
Multi-Family	641,399	11.8
Other	144,198	2.6
Manufacturing	236,537	4.4
Transportation, Communication and Utilities	548,665	10.1
Trade (Total)	382,985	7.1
Wholesale	276,651	5.1
Retail	106,334	2.0
General Services	247,230	4.5
Institutional and Governmental Services (Total)	418,143	7.7
Education (Nursery, Primary and Secondary)	220,937	4.0
Educational Services (other)	18,563	0.3
Religious Services	52,178	1.0
Medical and Health Services	73,072	1.3
Government	--	--
Other (Service Organizations, Cemeteries, etc.)	53,393	1.0
Cultural, Entertainment, and Recreation Services	89,051	1.6
Resource Production and Extraction	--	--
Totals	5,436,599	100.0

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D. 1 - 1966-1974: NET EFFECT OF RESIDENT BIRTHS AND DEATHS

YEAR	BIRTHS	% OF CITY BIRTHS	DEATHS	% OF CITY DEATHS	NET EFFECT
1966	79	2.4	76	2.9	+3
1967	85	2.7	37	1.4	+48
1968	105	3.4	59	2.2	+46
1969	92	3.0	57	2.3	+35
1970	87	2.8	53	2.2	+34
1971	85	2.9	62	2.6	+23
1972	54	2.2	49	2.2	+5
1973	79	3.3	42	1.8	+37
1974	64	3.0	40	1.9	+24
TOTALS	730	-	475	-	+255
5 YR. AVERAGE 1970-74	73.8	2.8	49.2	2.1	+24.6

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D.2 - 1970-1974: SELECTED HEALTH INDICES: MORTALITY

Deaths by Cause	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	5 YEAR AVERAGE
Malignant Neoplasms	10	11	7	10	7	9.0
Lung	1	1	3	1	1	1.4
Breast	4	-	-	-	1	1.2
Cervix	-	1	-	1	-	0.4
Colon & Rectum	-	2	-	-	1	0.6
Diabetes Mellitus	2	1	1	2	-	1.2
Cadiovascular Disease	27	38	31	20	26	28.4
Heart Disease (All Forms)	20	27	23	12	18	20.0
Myocardial Infarction	5	12	11	3	6	7.4
Chronic Ischemic Heart Dis.	12	11	8	9	8	9.6
Cerebrovascular Disease	4	6	7	5	6	5.6
Respiratory Disease	2	7	4	1	2	3.2
Pneumonia/Influenza	2	5	-	1	1	1.8
Emphysema	-	1	1	-	1	0.6
Gastrointestinal Disease	4	3	1	5	2	3.0
Cirrhosis of the Liver	3	-	-	-	1	0.8
External Causes	1	1	2	3	-	1.4
Motor Vehicle Accidents	-	-	1	1	-	0.4

Total Deaths	53	62	49	42	40	49.2
Mean Age at Death	61.1	68.3	65.6	73.0	59.4	65.6
Infant Deaths	3	3	2	-	2	2.0
Number Age 65 and Over	31	43	32	35	17	31.6

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D.3 - 1970-1974: SELECTED HEALTH INDICIES: NATALITY

INDICIES	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	Five Year Average
LIVE BIRTHS	87	85	54	79	64	73.8
NEWBORNS WEIGHING BELOW 2500 GRAMS (5½ LBS.)	4	9	5	7	5	6.0
BIRTHS TO MOTHERS UNDER AGE 20	10	8	10	12	9	9.8
BIRTHS TO MOTHERS AGE 35 AND OVER	9	9	3	5	4	6.0
BIRTHS OF PARITY GREATER THAN 3	11	18	7	13	5	11.6

D.4 - 1977: ADMISSIONS AND RATE/THOUSAND TO PROVIDENCE MENTAL HEALTH CENTER

ADMISSIONS	RATE/THOUSAND	% OF NEIGHBORHOOD POPULATION
28	5.6	0.6

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E.1 - 1972, 1973: FAMILY COURT HEARINGS OTHER THAN WAYWARD/DELINQUENT (MOTOR VEHICLE VIOLATIONS EXCLUDED), MALE AND FEMALE CHILDREN

	1973		1972	
MALE CHILDREN	# CASES	% CITY CASES	# CASES	% CITY CASES
NEW	3	1.2	8	2.9
REPEATERS	11	3.4	6	2.2
VIOLATORS OF PROBATION	5	1.8	5	1.4

	1973		1972	
FEMALE CHILDREN	# CASES	% CITY CASES	# CASES	% CITY CASES
NEW	-	-	5	5.3
REPEATERS	-	-	-	-
VIOLATORS OF PROBATION	-	-	-	-

	1973		1972	
TOTAL CHILDREN	# CASES	% CITY CASES	# CASES	% CITY CASES
NEW	3	0.9	13	3.5
REPEATERS	11	3.0	6	1.9
VIOLATORS OF PROBATION	5	1.6	5	1.4

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E.2 - 1972, 1973: NON-JUDICIAL MOTOR VEHICLE VIOLATIONS ONLY

	1973		1972	
ALE HILDREN	# CASES	% CITY CASES	# CASES	% CITY CASES
EW	-	-	4	5.0
EPEATERS	-	-	-	-
IOLATORS OF ROBATION	-	-	-	-

	1973		1972	
EMALE HILDREN	# CASES	% CITY CASES	# CASES	% CITY CASES
EW	-	-	-	-
EPEATERS	-	-	-	-
IOLATORS OF ROBATION	-	-	-	-

	1973		1972	
OTAL HILDREN	# CASES	% CITY CASES	# CASES	% CITY CASES
EW	-	-	4	4.4
EPEATERS	-	-	-	-
IOLATORS OF ROBATION	-	-	-	-

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E.4 - 1972, 1973: NON-JUDICIAL - OTHER THAN WAYWARD/DELINQUENT (MOTOR VEHICLE VIOLATIONS EXCLUDED)

	1973		1972	
ALE HILDREN	# CASES	% CITY CASES	# CASES	% CITY CASES
EW	-	-	-	-
EPEATERS	-	-	-	-
IOLATORS OF ROBATION	-	-	-	-

	1973		1972	
EMALE HILDREN	# CASES	% CITY CASES	# CASES	% CITY CASES
EW	-	-	-	-
EPEATERS	-	-	-	-
IOLATORS OF ROBATION	-	-	-	-

	1973		1972	
OTAL HILDREN	# CASES	% CITY CASES	# CASES	% CITY CASES
EW	-	-	-	-
EPEATERS	-	-	-	-
IOLATORS OF ROBATION	-	-	-	-

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E. 4 - 1972, 1973: HEARING - MOTOR VEHICLES VIOLATIONS ONLY

	1973		1972	
ALE HILDREN	# CASES	% CITY CASES	# CASES	% CITY CASES
EW	1	1.5	1	1.4
EPEATERS	1	1.6	2	3.9
IOLATORS OF ROBATION	-	-	-	-

	1973		1972	
EMALE HILDREN	# CASES	% CITY CASES	# CASES	% CITY CASES
EW	1	14.2	-	-
EPEATERS	-	-	-	-
IOLATORS OF ROBATION	-	-	-	-

	1973		1972	
TAL HILDREN	# CASES	% CITY CASES	# CASES	% CITY CASES
EW	2	2.7	1	1.2
EPEATERS	1	1.6	2	3.7
IOLATORS OF ROBATION	-	-	-	-

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